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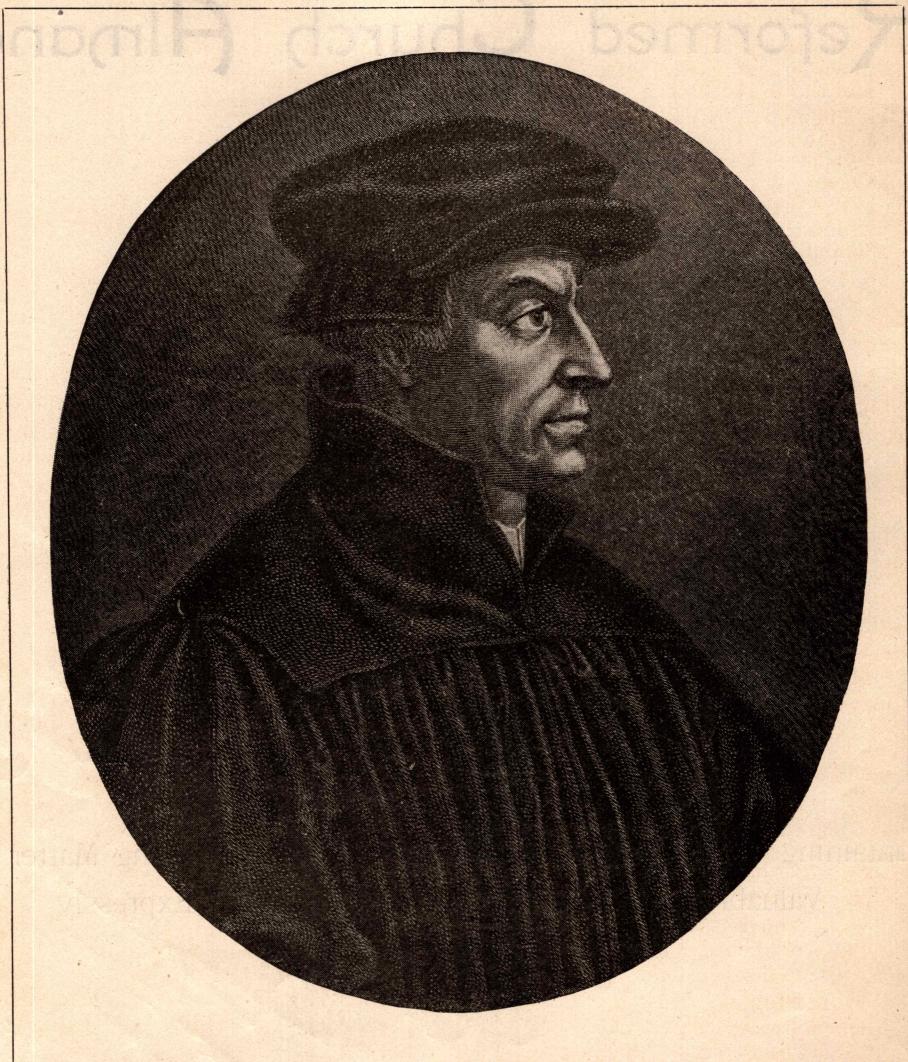
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## ECLIPSES FOR THE YEAR 1895.

In the year 1895 there will be five eclipses, three of the Sun and two of the Moon.

The first is a total eclipse of the Moon, March 10, at 8 o'clock, 16 minutes in the evening. Visible generally. Beginning in the western parts of Asia, in Europe, Africa, North and South America and ending in the Pacific Ocean.

The second is a partial eclipse of the Sun, March 26, at 4 o'clock, 32 minutes in the morning. Invisible here. Visible in Western Europe, Greenland, the northeastern part of North America and the Atlantic Ocean.

The third is a partial eclipse of the Sun, August 20, at 5 o'clock, 31 minutes in the morning. Invisible here. Visible to Eastern Europe, Northern and Western Asia and the North Pole.

The fourth is a total eclipse of the Moon, September 3, beginning at 10 o'clock, 22 minutes in the evening. Visible generally. Beginning in the western portions of Europe and Africa, in the Atlantic Ocean, North and South America and the Pacific Ocean.

The fifth is a partial eclipse of the Sun, September 18, at 3 o'clock, 6 minutes in the evening. Invisible here. Visible to Eastern Australia, New Zealand, the Fiji Islands and the South Pacific Ocean.

SATURN (b) IS THE GOVERNING PLANET THIS YEAR.

### CHARACTERS OF THE CONSTELLATIONS.

|                                                                                                      |                                                                                                           |                                                                                                           |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|  Aries, the Ram.    |  Leo, the Lion.          |  Sagittarius, Bowman.   |
|  Taurus, the Bull.  |  Virgo, the Virgin.      |  Capricornus, the Goat. |
|  Gemini, the Twins. |  Libra, the Balance.     |  Aquarius, the Butler.  |
|  Cancer, the Crab. |  Scorpio, the Scorpion. |  Pisces, the Fishes.   |

### ASTRONOMICAL CHARACTERS EXPLAINED.

♀ Mercury, ♀ Venus, ⊕ Earth, ♂ Mars, ♀ Jupiter, b Saturn, ♀ Uranus, ♀ Neptune.  
○ Sun, Ⓛ Conjunction, Ⓜ Sextile, □ Quartile, △ Trine, Ⓝ Opposition.

### CHRONOLOGICAL CYCLES.

|                           |    |  |             |    |  |                 |      |
|---------------------------|----|--|-------------|----|--|-----------------|------|
| Dominical Letter          | F. |  | Epact       | 4  |  | Roman Indiction | 8    |
| Lunar Cycle or Golden No. | 15 |  | Solar Cycle | 28 |  | Julian Period   | 6608 |

In the Jewish Era the year 5656 begins at sunset September 18, 1895.

In the Mohammedan Era the year 1313 begins on the 24th of June, 1895.

### EMBER DAYS.

March 6.                    June 5.                    September 18.                    December 18.

### MOVEABLE FEASTS.

|                                    |  |                                         |
|------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------------|
| Septuagesima Sunday, February 10.  |  | Easter Sunday, April 14.                |
| Sexagesima Sunday, February 17.    |  | Ascension Day, May 23.                  |
| Quinquagesima Sunday, February 24. |  | Whitsuntide, June 2.                    |
| Shrove Tuesday, February 26.       |  | Trinity Sunday, June 9.                 |
| Ash Wednesday, February 27.        |  | Corpus Christi, June 13.                |
| Palm Sunday, April 7.              |  | First Sunday in Advent, December 1.     |
| Good Friday, April 12.             |  | Sundays after Trinity are 24 this year. |

### THE FOUR SEASONS OR CARDINAL POINTS.

Spring beg. March 20; Summer, June 21; Autumn, Sept. 23; Winter, Dec. 21.

 All the calculations in this Almanac are made to solar or apparent time. For mean or clock time add the equation in the Hour Table when the sun is "slow," and subtract it when "fast."      L. J. HEATWOLE, Calculator.

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1st Month.

JANUARY, 1895.

31 Days.

|                               |        | DAYS OF                 |            | MOON         | MOON    | MOON     | Aspects of Planets             |  | SUN   | SUN   | SUN    |
|-------------------------------|--------|-------------------------|------------|--------------|---------|----------|--------------------------------|--|-------|-------|--------|
|                               |        | month, week, year, etc. |            | SOUTH        | R. & S. | SIGNS    | and Miscellany.                |  | SLOW. | RISES | SETS.  |
|                               |        | h.                      | m.         | h.           | m.      |          |                                |  | h.    | m.    | h.     |
| 1                             | Tues.  | 1                       | New Year   | 4 40         | 9 52    |          | 2 south 11:14                  |  | 4     | 7 23  | 4 37   |
| 2                             | Wed.   | 2                       | Abel Seth  | 4 50         | 10 40   |          | ⊕ in Perihelion                |  | 4     | 7 23  | 4 37   |
| 3                             | Thurs. | 3                       | Enoch      | 5 29         | 11 34   |          | Sirius south 11:40             |  | 5     | 7 23  | 4 37   |
| 4                             | Friday | 4                       | Methusal   | 6 11         | morn    |          | 4. 7⊕ south 8:41               |  | 5     | 7 22  | 4 38   |
| 5                             | Sat.   | 5                       | Simon      | 6 56         | 12 44   |          | ♂ 3 ☽, Orion s. 10:42          |  | 5     | 7 22  | 4 38   |
| 1] Sunday after New Year.     |        | Matt. 2.                |            | Day's length |         | 9h. 16m. |                                |  |       |       |        |
| 6                             | Sunday | 6                       | Epiphany   | 7 45         | 1 48    |          | ♂ sets 1:50                    |  | 6     | 7 21  | 4 39   |
| 7                             | Mond'y | 7                       | Isidor     | 8 40         | 2 54    |          | Rigel south 9:57               |  | 6     | 7 21  | 4 39   |
| 8                             | Tues.  | 8                       | Erhard     | 9 41         | 3 58    |          | ♀ in Aphelion, ♂ ♈ ☽           |  | 7     | 7 21  | 4 39   |
| 9                             | Wed.   | 9                       | Julian     | 10 46        | 5 2     |          | ♂ 2 ☽, ♂ ☽, Super. ☽           |  | 7     | 7 20  | 4 40   |
| 10                            | Thurs. | 10                      | Paul's Im. | 11 53        | 6 10    |          | 2 south 10:34                  |  | 8     | 7 20  | 4 40   |
| 11                            | Friday | 11                      | Eugene     | morn         | 7 ris   |          | 11. ☽ in Perigee               |  | 8     | 7 19  | 4 41   |
| 12                            | Sat.   | 12                      | Rinehold   | 12 57        | 6 48    |          | 2 rises 6:30                   |  | 8     | 7 18  | 4 42   |
| 2] 1st Sunday after Epiphany. |        | Luke 2.                 |            | Day's length |         | 9h. 24m. |                                |  |       |       |        |
| 13                            | Sunday | 13                      | Hilary     | 1 57         | 7 52    |          | ♂ south 6:40                   |  | 9     | 7 17  | 4 43   |
| 14                            | Mond'y | 14                      | Felix      | 2 52         | 8 59    |          | Aldebaran south 8:42           |  | 9     | 7 17  | 4 43   |
| 15                            | Tues.  | 15                      | Maurice    | 3 42         | 10 4    |          | Regulus rises 7:26             |  | 10    | 7 16  | 4 44   |
| 16                            | Wed.   | 16                      | Marcellus  | 4 30         | 11 13   |          | ☽ south 6:38                   |  | 10    | 7 15  | 4 45   |
| 17                            | Thurs. | 17                      | Anthony    | 5 17         | morn    |          | 17. ☽ rises 11:20              |  | 10    | 7 14  | 4 46   |
| 18                            | Friday | 18                      | Franklin   | 6 4          | 12 28   |          | ♂ ☽, ☽ Gr. Hel. Lat. S.        |  | 11    | 7 13  | 4 47   |
| 19                            | Sat.   | 19                      | Sarah      | 6 52         | 1 37    |          | ♂ ☽, Spica rises 11:44         |  | 11    | 7 12  | 4 48   |
| 3] 2d Sunday after Epiphany.  |        | John 2.                 |            | Day's length |         | 9h. 36m. |                                |  |       |       |        |
| 20                            | Sunday | 20                      | Fab. Seb.  | 7 41         | 2 45    |          | Procyon sets 11:20 ☽ centers ☽ |  | 11    | 7 11  | 4 49   |
| 21                            | Mond'y | 21                      | Agnes      | 8 33         | 3 49    |          | Pollux south 10:22             |  | 11    | 7 11  | 4 49   |
| 22                            | Tues.  | 22                      | Vincent    | 9 26         | 4 46    |          | Capella south 8:48             |  | 12    | 7 10  | 4 50   |
| 23                            | Wed.   | 23                      | Emerenth   | 10 19        | 5 42    |          | 20. ☽ south 7:17               |  | 12    | 7     | 9 451  |
| 24                            | Thurs. | 24                      | Timothy    | 11 10        | 6 40    |          | 2 south 9:33                   |  | 12    | 7     | 8 452  |
| 25                            | Friday | 25                      | Paul's Con | 12 1         | 7 set   |          | 25. Sirius s. 10:8             |  | 13    | 7     | 7 453  |
| 26                            | Sat.   | 26                      | Polycarp   | 12 45        | 6 37    |          | ☽ in Apogee, ♂ ☽ ☽ ☽           |  | 13    | 7     | 6 454  |
| 4] 3d Sunday after Epiphany.  |        | Matt. 8.                |            | Day's length |         | 9h. 48m. |                                |  |       |       |        |
| 27                            | Sunday | 27                      | Chrysost.  | 1 28         | 7 30    |          | ♀ sets 7:20                    |  | 13    | 7     | 5 4 55 |
| 28                            | Mond'y | 28                      | Charles    | 2 9          | 8 24    |          | Orion south 6:2                |  | 13    | 7     | 4 4 56 |
| 29                            | Tues.  | 29                      | Valerius   | 2 48         | 9 19    |          | Rigel south 8:29               |  | 13    | 7     | 3 4 57 |
| 30                            | Wed.   | 30                      | Adelgunda  | 3 28         | 10 10   |          | ♀ Great. Hel. Lat. S.          |  | 14    | 7     | 2 4 58 |
| 31                            | Thurs. | 31                      | Virgil     | 4 8          | 10 52   |          | ♂ south 6:1                    |  | 14    | 7     | 1 4 59 |

## Moon's Phases.

First Quarter, 4th, 2 o'clock, morning.

Full Moon, 11th, at 1 o'clock, morning.

Last Quarter, 17th, 5 o'clock, evening.

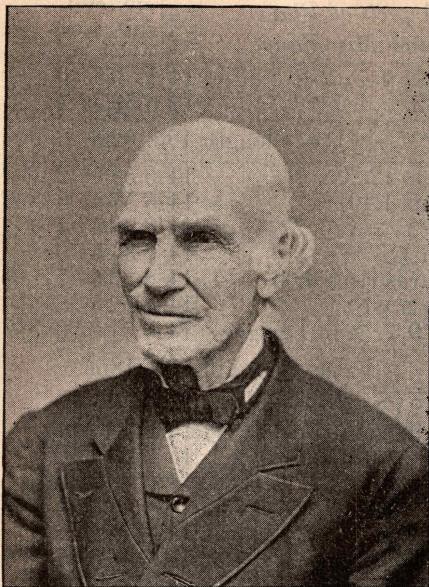
New Moon, 25th, at 3 o'clock, evening.

## Conjectures of the Weather.

The 1st, rain or snow; 2d, colder; 3d, cloudy, cold; 4th, change; 5th, unsettled; 6th, clearing; 7th, variable; 8th, wind; 9th, gloomy day; 10th, clearing, fair; 11th, milder; 12th, windy; 13th, clouds; 14th, snow; 15th, colder; 16th, blustery; 17th, cloudy, dull; 18th, colder; 19th, wintry; 20th, damp, misty; 21st, wind; 22d, pleasant; 23d, hazy; 24th, clouds, rain; 25th, clouds; 26th, changeable; 27th, moderate; 28th, fair; 29th, warmer; 30th, genial, mild; 31st, clouding.

We should accustom ourselves to self-denial and patient waiting; for the blessings that God reserves for his people are like fruit which will be wholesome when it has time to ripen, but will certainly be noxious if greedily and prematurely gathered.

There are no songs to be compared with the songs of Zion, no orations equal to those of the prophets, no politics like those which the Scriptures teach.



Rev. A. B. Shenkle.

Millersville, Pa.

**R**EV. A. B. SHENKLE, son of Samuel and Mary Shenkle, born at Unionville, Berks County, Pa., March 27, 1815: Baptized in the Episcopal Church at Douglassville, Pa. Moved to East Vincent in 1832; in 1836 united with the East Vincent Reformed Church under Rev. J. C. Guldin. Entered Marshall College at Mercersburg, where he remained from 1841 to 1847. Called to the pastorate of East Vincent and Trappe Reformed Churches in the fall of 1847; served the former until October, 1868. Accepted a call to the Millersville Charge, Lancaster, Pa., in 1869, which he served over ten years. Took charge of the Willow Street Reformed Church in 1877, in connection with the Maytown congregation, where he served till March, 1887. From July 6, 1891, to June 25, 1893, served the Marietta Charge as pastor. Since then he has retired.

Duty is a power which rises with us in the morning, and goes to rest with us at night. It is the shadow that cleaves to us, go where we will, and which leaves us only when we leave the light of life.

### A New Year Wish.

BY WILLIS MARSHALL.

Glad and gleeful be thy New Year,  
Joyful in the perfect sense;  
Not that fortune smile upon thee  
With her gold or eloquence;  
But that she with royal splendor  
Glorify thine inner shrine,  
Sanctifying it and making  
It with Christlike beauty shine.  
Take thou that unwritten tablet,  
Turn its pages day by day;  
Mark thou—not a blot to mar them;  
Ever, while thou writest, pray;  
Keep each page as pure and spotless  
As the cloudless summer sky—  
God above thee, God before thee,  
Leading on to victory.

By the great Almighty's power,  
Strike all wrong from out thy heart;  
Strike it, strike it out forever,  
Never heed the pain and smart.  
Let this New Year's gracious coming,  
In all thought and word and deed,  
Guide thy soul on thro' the shadows,  
Up to its immortal meed.

### Reformed Church Population.

It may be said that the Reformed Church is great in history and in the number of its membership. Switzerland has 1,700,000 adherents; France nearly 750,000; Holland, 2,167,110; Germany, 2,000,000; Austria, 150,000; Hungary, 2,500,000; Russia, 90,000; Algiers, 10,000; South Africa, 125,000; Interior Africa, 6,000; Asia, including the isles, 300,000; in America the Reformed (Dutch) Church, 90,000 communicants and 200,000 adherents; the Reformed Church in the United States, 220,000 communicants and 500,000 adherents; Canada Reformed Church, 50,000. The Reformed faith has in the whole world fully 20,000,000 adherents. This is a mighty host, and ought to do valiant and successful service for the Lord.

The progress of our church for the year 1895 will be what our pastors, elders, deacons, Sunday-school superintendents and helpers, our societies and auxiliaries will make it. It will be a year crowned with many blessings if the Lord is made our daily companion. Let the watch-cry be, "Instant in season and out of season."

2d Month.

FEBRUARY, 1895.

28 Days.

| DAYS OF<br>month, week, year, etc. |    |           | MOON<br>SOUTH<br>h. m. | MOON<br>R. & S.<br>h. m. | MOON<br>SIGNS | Aspects of Planets<br>and Miscellany. | SUN<br>LOW<br>h. m. | SUN<br>RISES<br>h. m. | SUN<br>SETS<br>h. m. |
|------------------------------------|----|-----------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 1 Friday                           | 32 | Bridget   | 4 50                   | 11 45                    |               | 6 ♀ ♀, ♀, 24 s. 8:59 ☽                | 14 7 0              | 5 0                   |                      |
| 2 Sat.                             | 33 | Candle M. | 5 36                   | morn                     |               | 2. 6 ♂ ☽                              | 14 6 59             | 5 1                   |                      |

5] 4th Sunday after Epiphany. Matt. 8. Day's length 10h. 02m.

|          |    |          |       |       |    |                    |         |     |
|----------|----|----------|-------|-------|----|--------------------|---------|-----|
| 3 Sunday | 34 | Blasius  | 6 27  | 12 47 | 3  | sets 12:20         | 14 6 58 | 5 2 |
| 4 Mond'y | 35 | Veronica | 7 23  | 1 49  | 4  | sets 1:40          | 14 6 57 | 5 3 |
| 5 Tues.  | 36 | Agatha   | 8 24  | 2 51  | 5  | 24 ☽, ☽ 3 ☽, ☽ 4 ☽ | 14 6 56 | 5 4 |
| 6 Wed.   | 37 | Dorothea | 9 29  | 3 54  | 6  | in ☽               | 14 6 54 | 5 6 |
| 7 Thurs. | 38 | Richard  | 10 34 | 4 56  | 7  | Antares rises 3:30 | 14 6 53 | 5 7 |
| 8 Friday | 39 | Solomon  | 11 36 | 5 58  | 8  | ☽ ☽                | 14 6 52 | 5 8 |
| 9 Sat.   | 40 | Apolonia | morn  | 6 ris | 9. | ☽ in Perigee       | 14 6 51 | 5 9 |

6] Septuagesima Sunday. Matt. 20. Day's length 10h. 18m.

|           |    |           |       |       |    |                         |         |      |
|-----------|----|-----------|-------|-------|----|-------------------------|---------|------|
| 10 Sunday | 41 | Scholast. | 12 34 | 6 36  | 6  | ♀ ♀, ♀ in Perihelion    | 15 6 50 | 5 10 |
| 11 Mond'y | 42 | Euphrosin | 1 28  | 7 40  | 7  | Capella south 7:41 ☽    | 15 6 49 | 5 11 |
| 12 Tues.  | 43 | Gilbert   | 2 19  | 8 52  | 8  | Rigel south 7:25        | 15 6 48 | 5 12 |
| 13 Wed.   | 44 | Jordan    | 3 8   | 9 55  | 9  | h rises 9:48            | 14 6 46 | 5 14 |
| 14 Thurs. | 45 | Valentine | 3 56  | 10 56 | 10 | 6 h ☽, Orion south 7:55 | 14 6 45 | 5 15 |
| 15 Friday | 46 | Faustinus | 4 46  | 11 58 | 11 | 6 ☽ ☽, h stationary     | 14 6 44 | 5 16 |
| 16 Sat.   | 47 | Julianus  | 5 36  | morn  | 12 | 12. Regulus s. 12:2     | 14 6 43 | 5 17 |

7] Sexagesima Sunday. Luke 8. Day's length 10h. 34m.

|           |    |            |       |       |    |                           |         |      |
|-----------|----|------------|-------|-------|----|---------------------------|---------|------|
| 17 Sunday | 48 | Constantia | 6 28  | 12 34 | 13 | Andromeda sets 9:48       | 14 6 41 | 5 19 |
| 18 Mond'y | 49 | Concordia  | 7 21  | 1 10  | 14 | h south 4:31              | 14 6 40 | 5 20 |
| 19 Tues.  | 50 | Susanna    | 8 14  | 2 6   | 15 | 7 ☽ sets 12:15 ☽ ent. ☽   | 14 6 39 | 5 21 |
| 20 Wed.   | 51 | Eucharius  | 9 6   | 3 2   | 16 | 7 ☽ stationary            | 14 6 38 | 5 22 |
| 21 Thurs. | 52 | Eleonora   | 9 56  | 4 1   | 17 | ♀ Great. Hel. Lat. N.     | 14 6 36 | 5 24 |
| 22 Friday | 53 | Washingt.  | 10 42 | 5 0   | 18 | ☽ in Apogee, ☽ stationary | 14 6 35 | 5 25 |
| 23 Sat.   | 54 | Serenus    | 11 26 | 6 2   | 19 | ♀ south 7:30              | 14 6 34 | 5 26 |

8] Quinquagesima Sunday. Luke 18. Day's length 10h. 52m.

|           |    |            |       |       |    |                |         |      |
|-----------|----|------------|-------|-------|----|----------------|---------|------|
| 24 Sunday | 55 | StMatthew  | 12 8  | ☽ set | 20 | 24. 6 ♀ ☽      | 14 6 32 | 5 28 |
| 25 Mond'y | 56 | Victor     | 12 48 | 7 8   | 21 | 6 ♀ ☽ Inferior | 13 6 31 | 5 29 |
| 26 Tues.  | 57 | Shrove Tu. | 1 28  | 8 10  | 22 | 6 ♀ ☽          | 13 6 30 | 5 30 |
| 27 Wed.   | 58 | Ash Wed.   | 2 8   | 9 15  | 23 | ♀ sets 8:14    | 13 6 29 | 5 31 |
| 28 Thurs. | 59 | Macarius   | 2 49  | 9 58  | 24 | 6 south 5:7    | 13 6 27 | 5 33 |

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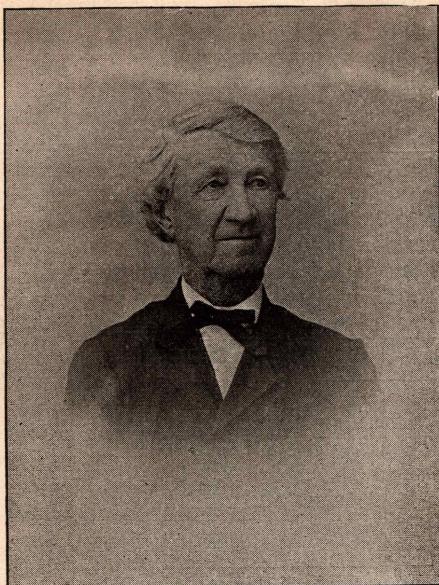
New Moon, 24th, 11 o'clock, morning.

## Conjectures of the Weather.

The 1st, colder; 2d, high winds; 3d, cool, windy; 4th, clouds; 5th, snow; 6th, deep snow; 7th, clouds, dull; 8th, hazy; 9th, clearing; 10th, clouds; 11th, cloudy; 12th, windy; 13th, genial; 14th, moderating; 15th, cooler; 16th, clouds; 17th, snow; 18th, windy day; 19th, squally, rough; 20th, gloomy; 21st, cloudy; 22d, milder; 23d, threatening; 24th, cloudy, rain; 25th, showers; 26th, squally, rough; 27th, raw winds; 28th, bright, clear.

He who believes that God's will always must be done prays not when this or that event arises, but ever prays that, more and more, he may come into harmony with it. And out of this constant prayer of the soul that desires not gifts from, but communion with, the Giver, there comes a sense of trust.

It is a common saying that "time is money," but it is also a great deal more—it is opportunity, skill, ability, character—and to waste it is to waste life itself, with all it holds in store.



Rev. B. Knepper.

Wellersburg, Pa.

FATHER KNEPPER is one of the oldest ministers of our church, and we prefer here to give his own language concerning his life and work. Father Knepper is an old time Bible student, and we have frequently heard Elder Henry Leonard, *the Fisherman*, say, that Father Knepper was more familiar with his Bible than any man he ever met in his travels. This itself is sufficient to interest our readers in his picture. We give his own language of his life and work:

I was born on the 10th of September, 1816, near Berlin, Somerset Co., Pa. My way into the gospel ministry was somewhat peculiar, and as I believe, Providence had a hand in it.

Having been under the care of Westmoreland Classis, and the instruction of Rev. W. Cunrad, in June, 1846, I went along to Clarion County, a three days' journey on horseback, to classis. During this meeting of classis I was examined by a committee consisting of Revs. Dr. Hoecke, Weinal and Cunrad, and on the 10th of June, 1846, I was licensed to preach the gospel.

In following a call from the Wellersburg Charge, I commenced my ministerial life on the

18th of June, 1846, in the Wellersburg Charge, with a membership of seventy-three in the whole charge. In 1849 we had another long way to travel on horseback, when classis met in Harmony, Butler Co., Pa. On this occasion I preached in Robb's old church, in which the sessions of classis were held. Of all the ministers belonging to Westmoreland Classis (covering nearly the ground that the whole Pittsburg Synod now does) in 1849, I am the only one yet living. My labors then were altogether in the German language, and there was not an English member in the whole charge. The charge consisted of four congregations. I could speak English then. By me establishing four new congregations, the field got to be too large for one man, so in course of time the charge was divided, and I kept four congregations, which I still serve without the use of a horse, serving two appointments three Lord's Days out of four. I am now in my seventy-eighth year, and during the forty-eight years of my ministerial labors, I baptized 2,218, confirmed 725, married 454 couple, attended 715 funerals. In the forty-eight years in gospel ministry I traveled over 9,400 miles to attend funerals, and 47,000 to fill all appointments.

B. KNEPPER.

## God Liveth Ever.

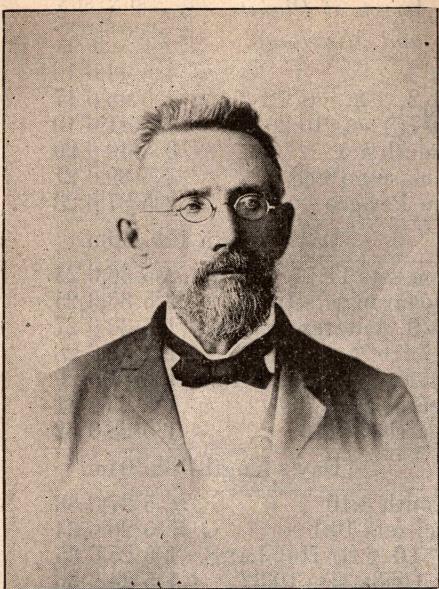
God liveth ever!  
Wherefore, soul, despair thou never!  
Our God is good in every place  
His love is known, his help is found;  
His mighty arm and tender grace  
Bring good from ills that hem us round.  
Easier than we think can he  
Turn to joy our agony;  
Soul, remember, mind thy pains,  
God o'er all forever reigns.

—From the German of Zihm.

Cling fast to the Hand that is leading you, though it be in darkness, though it be in deep waters—you know whom you have believed. Yield not for a single moment to misgivings about future storms. Infinite love, joined to infinite skill, shall pilot the way through every strait and temptation.

God has not merely pitied us from a distance and sent us relief by way of the ladder which Jacob saw, but He hath Himself visited us.





Rev. H. J. Ruetenik, D. D.

*President of Calvin College, Cleveland, O.*

REV. H. J. RUETENIK was born in Germany in 1826, graduated from the Joachimsthal Gymnasium in Berlin in spring, 1846; studied theology in Halle to fall, 1848; had to flee for participation in the struggle for political liberty, came via New York to Cambridge, Mass., to Prof. Beck, of Harvard, a friend of his father's; taught in Newton Center and in Boston till 1850; came to Easton, Pa., and established the Easton English and Classical School, which he taught till 1852; there connected with Dr. Bomberger's church; came to Ohio at Dr. Gerhard's request, who at that time was President of Heidelberg College; was sent by Tiffin Classis to do missionary work in Toledo; built our first church there in 1852; came to Tiffin, was elected Professor of Ancient Languages; established the *Evangelist* in 1855; came to Cleveland in 1860, where he has since stayed all the time except three years spent in Wisconsin, having received a call to the Mission House congregation, and two trips of six months each to Europe.

His father was a minister and his mother a pastor's daughter; all his ancestors, as far as he

knows, were ministers or teachers. He is one of fourteen children, four of whom were ministers, one a professor, one sister is principal of a ladies' school, and three sisters are married to professors and directors of gymnasiums, two married to ministers.

Dr. Ruetenik is now at the head of Calvin College of Cleveland, in which he prepares young men for German-English work in the church. This institution is under his fostering care, and is gaining quite a constituency in the Reformed Church.

#### God Give Us Men!

God give us men! A time like this demands  
 Strong minds, great hearts, true faith, and ready hands!  
 Men whom the lust of office does not kill;  
 Men whom the spoils of office can not buy;  
 Men who possess opinions and a will;  
 Men who have honor, men who will not lie;  
 Men who can stand before a demagogue  
 And scorn his treacherous flatteries without winking.  
 Tall men, sun-crowned, who live above the fog  
 In public duty and in private thinking!  
 For while the rabble with their thumb-worn creeds  
 Their loud professions and their little deeds,  
 Mingle in selfish strife, lo! Freedom weeps,  
 Wrong rules the land and trailing Justice sleeps.

—J. G. Holland.

#### Sparks.

On the arrival of an emigrant ship some years ago, when the North Carolina lay off the Battery, an Irishman, hearing the gun fired at sunset, inquired of one of the sailors what it meant.

"What's that?"  
 "Why, that's sunset," was the contemptuous reply.  
 "Sunset!" Paddy exclaimed with distended eyes; "sunset! and does the sun go down in this country with such a clap as that?"

One of the declarations of Ulric Zwingli when he preached his first sermon in Zurich, the great battlefield of the Swiss Reformation, was, "It is to Christ I wish to guide you, to Christ the true spring of salvation." This declaration was contrary to the spirit of the Roman Catholic Church which taught people to worship the Virgin Mary rather than Christ.

4th Month.

APRIL, 1895.

30 Days.

| DAYS OF<br>month, week, year, etc. |    |           | MOON<br>SOUTH<br>h. m. | MOON<br>R. & S.<br>h. m. | MOON<br>SIGNS | Aspects of Planets<br>and Miscellany.                                             |                   | SUN<br>SLOW<br>h. m. | SUN<br>RISES<br>h. m. | SUN<br>SETS.<br>h. m. |
|------------------------------------|----|-----------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 Mond'y                           | 91 | Theodore  | 5                      | 5                        | morn          |  | ♂ 2 ♀             | 4                    | 5 44                  | 6 16                  |
| 2 Tues.                            | 92 | Theodosia | 6                      | 1                        | 12 20         |  | 2. ♀ sets 12:4    | 4                    | 5 43                  | 6 17                  |
| 3 Wed.                             | 93 | Ferdinand | 7                      | 6                        | 1 27          |  | 7 ♂ sets 10:20    | 3                    | 5 41                  | 6 19                  |
| 4 Thurs.                           | 94 | Ambrose   | 8                      | 4                        | 2 30          |  | ♀ south 5:5       | 3                    | 5 40                  | 6 20                  |
| 5 Friday                           | 95 | Maximus   | 8                      | 59                       | 3 7           |  | Sirius sets 10:38 | 3                    | 5 39                  | 6 21                  |
| 6 Sat.                             | 96 | Egesippus | 9                      | 50                       | 3 40          |  | ♂ in Perigee      | 2                    | 5 37                  | 6 23                  |

14] Palm Sunday.

Matt. 21.

Day's length 12h. 46m.

|           |     |           |      |    |       |                                                                                   |                       |   |   |      |      |
|-----------|-----|-----------|------|----|-------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|---|---|------|------|
| 7 Sunday  | 97  | Aaron     | 10   | 40 | 4 22  |  | Orion sets 11:11      | ♂ | 2 | 5 36 | 6 24 |
| 8 Mond'y  | 98  | Dyonisius | 11   | 29 | 5 12  |  | Aldebaran sets 10:14  |   | 2 | 5 35 | 6 25 |
| 9 Tues.   | 99  | Prochorus | morn |    |       |  | 9. Antares ris. 10:48 | ♀ | 1 | 5 33 | 6 27 |
| 10 Wed.   | 100 | Daniel    | 12   | 19 | 7 31  |  | ♂ 2 ♀                 |   | 1 | 5 32 | 6 28 |
| 11 Thurs. | 101 | Maundy T  | 1    | 11 | 8 38  |  | ♂ ♀, Spica south 12:8 |   | 1 | 5 31 | 6 29 |
| 12 Friday | 102 | Good Frid | 2    | 4  | 9 46  |  | Regulus south 8:37    |   | 1 | 5 29 | 6 31 |
| 13 Sat.   | 103 | Justinus  | 3    | 0  | 10 54 |  | Vega rises 8:32       |   | 1 | 5 28 | 6 32 |

15] Easter Sunday.

Matt. 16.

Day's length 13h. 04m.

|           |     |             |   |    |       |                                                                                     |                        |   |      |      |      |      |
|-----------|-----|-------------|---|----|-------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|---|------|------|------|------|
| 14 Sunday | 104 | Easter Sun. | 3 | 56 | 11 55 |    | ♂ south 4:10           |   | 5    | 27   | 6 33 |      |
| 15 Mond'y | 105 | Easter M.   | 4 | 51 | morn  |    | Rigel sets 10:1        | ♀ | fast | 5    | 26   | 6 34 |
| 16 Tues.  | 106 | Calixtus    | 5 | 44 | 12 54 |   | 16. ♀ Gr. Hel. Lat. S. |   | 1    | 5 25 | 6 35 |      |
| 17 Wed.   | 107 | Rudolph     | 6 | 33 | 1 30  |  | Orion sets 10:32       |   | 1    | 5 24 | 6 36 |      |
| 18 Thurs. | 108 | Aeneas      | 7 | 19 | 2 21  |  | ♂ in Apogee            |   | 1    | 5 22 | 6 38 |      |
| 19 Friday | 109 | Anicetus    | 8 | 3  | 2 58  |  | Arcturus south 12:18   |   | 1    | 5 21 | 6 39 |      |
| 20 Sat.   | 110 | Sulpicius   | 8 | 44 | 3 26  |  | Sirius rises 9:43      |   | 1    | 5 19 | 6 41 |      |

16] 1st Sunday after Easter.

John 20.

Day's length 13h. 22m.

|           |     |            |    |    |       |                                                                                     |                                                                                              |   |   |      |      |
|-----------|-----|------------|----|----|-------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|---|------|------|
| 21 Sunday | 111 | Adularius  | 9  | 24 | 3 57  |  | ○ enters  | ♀ | 1 | 5 18 | 6 42 |
| 22 Mond'y | 112 | Cajus      | 10 | 14 | 4 25  |  | Aldebaran sets 9:26                                                                          |   | 2 | 5 17 | 6 43 |
| 23 Tues.  | 113 | St. George | 11 | 25 | 4 52  |  | ♂ ♀, 7 ♂ sets 9:13                                                                           |   | 2 | 5 16 | 6 44 |
| 24 Wed.   | 114 | Albert     | 12 | 14 | 5 set |  | 24. ♀ 2 ♂ ○                                                                                  |   | 2 | 5 15 | 6 45 |
| 25 Thurs. | 115 | Mark Ev.   | 12 | 56 | 8 35  |  | ♂ ♀, Vega rises 7:35                                                                         |   | 2 | 5 14 | 6 46 |
| 26 Friday | 116 | Cletus     | 1  | 26 | 9 18  |  | ♀ sets 8:52                                                                                  |   | 2 | 5 13 | 6 47 |
| 27 Sat.   | 117 | Anastasius | 1  | 10 | 10 12 |  | ♂ ♀, ♀ ♀                                                                                     | ♀ | 3 | 5 12 | 6 48 |

17] 2d Sunday after Easter.

John 20.

Day's length 13h. 36m.

|           |     |           |   |   |       |                                                                                     |                 |  |   |      |      |
|-----------|-----|-----------|---|---|-------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|--|---|------|------|
| 28 Sunday | 118 | Vitalis   | 3 | 0 | 10 50 |  | ♀ sets 10:47    |  | 3 | 5 10 | 6 40 |
| 29 Mond'y | 119 | Syilla    | 4 | 1 | 11 15 |  | ♂ ♀, ♂ ♀, ♂ ♀ ♀ |  | 3 | 5 9  | 6 51 |
| 30 Tues.  | 120 | Entropius | 5 | 1 | morn  |  | ♀ in Perihelion |  | 3 | 5 8  | 6 52 |

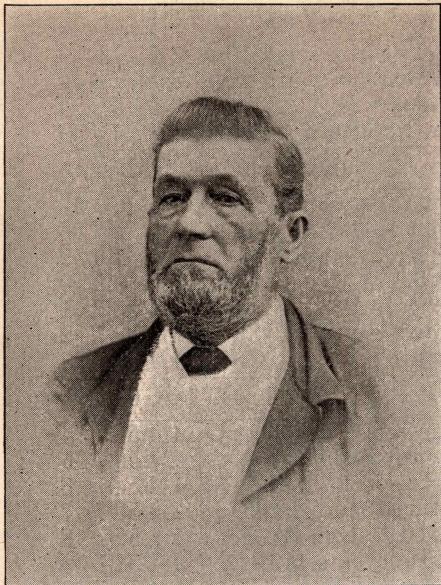
## Moon's Phases.

## Conjectures of the Weather

The 1st, damp day; 2d, pleasant; 3d, change; 4th, warmer; 5th, variable; 6th, frosty, cooler; 7th, rain; 8th, change; 9th, summer-like; 10th, sultry, showers; 11th, wind; 12th, warm day; 13th, smoky; 14th, clouds; 15th, unsettled; 16th, thunder shower; 17th, rainy; 18th, cooler; 19th, fresh; 20th, frosty; 21st, variable; 22d, change; 23d, breezy; 24th, fine day; 25th, changeable; 26th, moderating; 27th, windy; 28th, thunder; 29th, bright day; 30th, changeable.

Saturn (♀) is in opposition with the sun on the 24th, and shines all night.

We are artists ourselves, and competitors, each one, with Phidias and Raphael in the production of what is graceful or grand. The fountain of beauty is the heart, and every generous thought illustrates the walls of your chamber.



Rev. F. A. Rupley, D. D.

*Treasurer Juniata Classis, Martinsburg, Blair Co., Pa.*

**B**ORN in Greencastle, Franklin Co., Pa., January 27, 1821. Was among the first students at Mercersburg in 1835, on the removal of the High School from York, Pa. Pursued his studies in Marshall College under Doctor Rauch, graduated in the Theological Seminary and was ordained in 1844. His first charge was an extensive field in Bedford and Blair Counties, Pa., with Martinsburg as his home. This field is now divided into three charges. His first pastorate covered a period of nine years. He next filled the Water Street Charge four years, residing at Alexandria. Preached in Shippensburg from 1857 to 1861, when he was called to Middletown, Md. This call to Maryland came to him at a peculiar crisis in the nation's history. The terrible scenes of the civil war were largely enacted within his field of labor. The battle of South Mountain and many skirmishes during the four years of the war took place right under his eye, while his church was used as a hospital. Besides, the terrible struggles at Antietam and Maryland Heights and Harper's Ferry were near at hand, while the rattle of musketry and boom of arti-

lery at Gettysburg were plainly heard at his home. Thousands of soldiers and officers of both contending armies, as they swayed backward and forward during the great struggle, enjoyed his hospitality. Loyal to the Union, and uncompromisingly anti-slavery, he was brave and earnest and outspoken in his support of the government, as well as in denunciation of the rebellion. While despising the cause for which the rebels fought, he was ever prompt and sympathetic in ministering spiritual and physical comforts to them, when, through the fortunes of war, any lay sick or wounded or helpless at his door or within his knowledge. He was pastor at Middletown almost fifteen years, enjoying great popularity and success, not only among the Reformed people but also with those of all other denominations represented in that locality. Indeed, that popularity and success was mainly due to the frank, courageous and positive stand he took upon the great questions which divided the country into warring armies, as well as to his pulpit and pastoral ministrations.

He retired in 1876, and removed to Martinsburg, Pa., where he has ever since resided. While in retirement he has been usefully employed as a supply to a number of vacant congregations. Some years ago the degree of D. D. was conferred on him by Franklin and Marshall College. At the last meeting of Juniata Classis, (of which body he has been the treasurer since its formation) the anniversary of his fiftieth year in the ministry was celebrated. His brethren of the classis, in token of their esteem, presented him with a gold headed cane, with this inscription: "Presented to Rev. F. A. Rupley, D. D., by Juniata Classis, on the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination, May 25, 1894.

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Are you in trouble, afflicted, bereaved? Remember the great High Priest, who wept at the grave of Lazarus, and who raised him from the dead. Here we have Divine sympathy and Divine power. "His left hand is under my head, and His right hand doth embrace me." Support and affection! And this He has for all His people.

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Troubles can never come near enough to frighten the good, except when they forget they have a God.

5th Month.

MAY, 1895.

31 Days.

| DAYS OF<br>month, week, year, etc. |       |              | MOON     | MOON  | MOON  | Aspects of Planets<br>and Miscellany. | SUN<br>EAST | SUN<br>RISES | SUN<br>SETS |
|------------------------------------|-------|--------------|----------|-------|-------|---------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
|                                    | SOUTH | R. & S.      | h. m. h. | m.    | SIGNS |                                       | h. m.       | h. m.        |             |
| 1 Wed.                             | 121   | Phil. & Jas. | 5 59     | 12 15 |       | 1. Sirius sets 9:10                   | 3 5         | 7 6          | 53          |
| 2 Thurs.                           | 122   | Sigismund    | 6 53     | 1 44  |       | Denobla south 8:56                    | 3 5         | 6 6          | 54          |
| 3 Friday                           | 123   | In. of Cross | 7 44     | 2 11  |       | 7  sets 8:24                          | 3 5         | 5 6          | 55          |
| 4 Sat.                             | 124   | Florianus    | 8 33     | 2 45  |       | in Perigee,                           | 3 5         | 4 6          | 56          |

18] 3d Sunday after Easter.

John 16.

Day's length 13h. 52m.

|           |     |            |       |       |  |                    |     |     |     |
|-----------|-----|------------|-------|-------|--|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| 5 Sunday  | 125 | Godard     | 9 21  | 3 3   |  | in ,  south 12:0   | 4 5 | 3 6 | 57  |
| 6 Mond'y  | 126 | John Ev.   | 10 19 | 3 25  |  | sets 3:30          | 4 5 | 2 6 | 58  |
| 7 Tues.   | 127 | Domicilla  | 11 50 | 4 2   |  | ,  south 3:18      | 4 5 | 1 6 | 59  |
| 8 Wed.    | 128 | Stanislaus | morn  |       |  |                    | 4 5 | 0 7 | 0   |
| 9 Thurs.  | 129 | Job        | 12 45 | 8 56  |  | in Perihelion      | 4 4 | 59  | 7 1 |
| 10 Friday | 130 | Gordianus  | 1 42  | 9 50  |  | Antares south 1:13 | 4 4 | 58  | 7 2 |
| 11 Sat.   | 131 | Mamertus   | 2 38  | 10 35 |  | south 3:35         | 4 4 | 57  | 7 3 |

19] 4th Sunday after Easter.

John 10.

Day's length 14h. 06m.

|           |     |            |      |       |  |                      |  |     |    |      |
|-----------|-----|------------|------|-------|--|----------------------|--|-----|----|------|
| 12 Sunday | 132 | Paneratius | 3 33 | 11 12 |  | Orion sets 8:54      |  | 4 4 | 56 | 7 4  |
| 13 Mond'y | 133 | Servatius  | 4 25 | 11 58 |  | south 10:39          |  | 4 4 | 55 | 7 5  |
| 14 Tues.  | 134 | Tibertius  | 5 13 | morn  |  | Librae south 11:43   |  | 4 4 | 54 | 7 6  |
| 15 Wed.   | 135 | Sophia     | 5 57 | 12 27 |  | Arcturus south 10:30 |  | 4 4 | 53 | 7 7  |
| 16 Thurs. | 136 | Perigrina  | 6 39 | 12 59 |  | 16.  in Apogee       |  | 4 4 | 52 | 7 8  |
| 17 Friday | 137 | Jodocus    | 7 19 | 1 15  |  | Procyon sets 10:23   |  | 4 4 | 51 | 7 9  |
| 18 Sat.   | 138 | Liborius   | 7 59 | 1 47  |  |                      |  | 4 4 | 50 | 7 10 |

20] 5th Sunday after Easter.

John 16.

Day's length 14h. 20m.

|           |     |           |       |      |  |                     |  |     |    |      |
|-----------|-----|-----------|-------|------|--|---------------------|--|-----|----|------|
| 19 Sunday | 139 | Potentia  | 8 39  | 2 3  |  | 6 ,  south 10:11    |  | 4 4 | 49 | 7 11 |
| 20 Mond'y | 140 | Torpetus  | 9 21  | 2 34 |  | Great. Hel. Lat. N. |  | 4 4 | 48 | 7 12 |
| 21 Tues.  | 141 | Prudence  | 10 6  | 3 0  |  | Rigel sets 7:41     |  | 4 4 | 48 | 7 12 |
| 22 Wed.   | 142 | Helena    | 10 56 | 3 24 |  | enters              |  | 4 4 | 47 | 7 13 |
| 23 Thurs. | 143 | Ascension | 11 50 | 3 53 |  | Spica south 9:9     |  | 3 4 | 46 | 7 14 |
| 24 Friday | 144 | Albert    | 12 27 | set  |  | 24.  sets 9:20      |  | 3 4 | 45 | 7 15 |
| 25 Sat.   | 145 | Urbanus   | 12 58 | 8 24 |  |                     |  | 3 4 | 45 | 7 15 |

21] 6th Sunday after Easter.

John 15.

Day's length 14h. 30m.

|           |     |           |      |       |  |                        |  |     |    |      |
|-----------|-----|-----------|------|-------|--|------------------------|--|-----|----|------|
| 26 Sunday | 146 | Edward    | 1 51 | 9 10  |  | 6  ,  sets 9:35        |  | 3 4 | 44 | 7 16 |
| 27 Mond'y | 147 | Lucian    | 2 54 | 9 50  |  | 6                      |  | 3 4 | 43 | 7 17 |
| 28 Tues.  | 148 | William   | 3 54 | 10 41 |  | sets 9:0               |  | 3 4 | 43 | 7 17 |
| 29 Wed.   | 149 | Maximilus | 4 49 | 11 34 |  | in Perigee             |  | 3 4 | 42 | 7 18 |
| 30 Thurs. | 150 | Wigand    | 5 41 | morn  |  | 3 Gr. Hel. Lat. N.     |  | 3 4 | 41 | 7 19 |
| 31 Friday | 151 | Manilus   | 6 30 | 12 20 |  | 31. Antares rises 7:30 |  | 3 4 | 41 | 7 19 |

## Moon's Phases.

## Conjectures of the Weather.

First Quarter, 1st, 10 o'clock, evening.

The 1st, threatening; 2d, rainy day; 3d, clouds; 4th, unsettled; 5th, variable; 6th, clouds; 7th, change; 8th, fog; 9th, rain; 10th, showers; 11th, shower; 12th, dull day; 13th, sultry, muggy; 14th, clouds; 15th, unsettled; 16th, thunder showers; 17th, thunder; 18th, sultry; 19th, fog, rain; 20th, damp, muggy; 21st, thunder; 22d, cloudy; 23d, clearing; 24th, change; 25th, thunder, rain, hail; 26th, thunder showers; 27th, showery; 28th, thunder storm; 29th, warm day; 30th, pleasant; 31st, heavy rains, thunder.

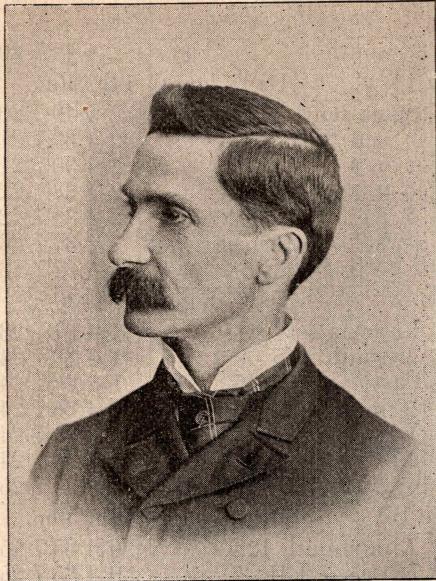
Full Moon, 8th, at 6 o'clock, evening.

Last Quarter, 16th, 12 o'clock, evening.

New Moon, 24th, 7 o'clock, morning.

First Quarter, 31st, 3 o'clock, morning.

The morning is the gate of the day, and should be well guarded with prayer. It is one end of the thread on which the day's actions are strung, and should be well knotted with devotion. If we felt more the majesty of life, we should be more careful of its mornings.



Rev. E. D. Wettach.

*Financial Secretary of Heidelberg University, Tiffin, O.*

REV. E. D. WETTACH was born of Swiss parentage, in Green Township, Summit Co., Ohio, May 5, 1852. Called of God to the Christian ministry, he entered the Academy in 1870, graduating from Heidelberg College in 1875. He finished his studies in the Theological Seminary in 1877, was licensed by the Ohio Synod and ordained by Heidelberg Classis that same year. He served the Broken Sword Charge, Sulphur Springs, Ohio, until July, 1879, when he accepted a call to the Reedsburg Charge where he labored until July, 1884, when he moved his tent eastward. He labored with marked success in St. Matthew's Charge, Chester Co., Pa., until the fall of 1890, when he was commissioned by the Board of Home Missions to become missionary pastor of a new enterprise at Akron, Ohio. He began his work in Akron October 1, 1890. Trinity Reformed Church was organized November 9, 1890. In January, 1891, the Sunday-school rooms were dedicated; July 11, 1893, the cornerstone of the new church was laid; May 20, 1894, the beautiful new church was dedicated. Called by the Board of Regents to the position of Financial Secretary of Heidel-

berg University, he lay down his commission in Trinity, leaving a growing church, to labor for the best interests of our educational institutions of the Ohio Synod. With the confidence of the board and the co-operation of the churches, he hopes to do great things for Heidelberg.

Rev. E. D. Wettach was united in marriage November 12, 1879, with Miss Anna, daughter of J. F. and Susanna Keller. With two daughters and one son, they have an ideal minister's home.

#### It Always Comes.

It always comes—spring, with its promise sweet,  
Its dear fulfillments gladly to repeat  
To us who sigh and fret at its delays  
And count, uncheerfully, the passing days;  
Who say, complaining that the spring is late,  
The earth is as it has been, desolate;  
One swirl of snow our hopes to martyrdom  
Will banish swiftly. But the spring-times come.

It always comes—the summer, with its blooms,  
Its suns distilling from them rich perfumes;  
Its earing corn, its grasses strong and tall,  
And waiting for the rhythmic scythe strokes all;  
Its still, sweet nights, more odorous than the days,  
Its ripening things, its blossom bordered ways.  
Unto one chilling wind our faith succumbs,  
We say, "It is not near!" But still it comes!

It always comes—the harvest full and fair,  
Despite our anxious, half-despairing care,  
Our trustless watch above the growing blade  
As if God could not guard what He has made.  
Unhastened and unhindered by our fears,  
Its serried ranks uplift their shining spears—  
The barrier God has reared around our homes  
While we sat doubting. Harvest always comes!

It always comes—God's help to human need,  
In measures often that our hope exceed:  
God's answer to the prayer, our lips repeat,  
In common blessings, or surprises sweet.  
Does He not see how doubtful the heart is,  
How fearful ever the hand we reach to His?  
As if to us His presence were not near  
Nor could be found. Yet it is always here!

—Olive E. Dana, in *Advance*.

Life is made up not of great sacrifices or duties, but of little things, in which smiles and kindness, and small obligations given habitually, are what win and preserve the heart and secure comfort.

Work is the weapon of honor, and he who lacks the weapon will never triumph.

## 6th Month.

JUNE, 1895.

30 Days.

| DAYS OF<br>month, week, year, etc. |                           |             | MOON<br>SOUTH<br>h. m. h. | MOON<br>R. & S.<br>h. m. h. | MOON<br>SIGNS          | Aspects of Planets<br>and Miscellany. |      | SUN<br>FAST.<br>h. m. h. m. | SUN<br>RISES.<br>SETS.<br>h. m. h. m. |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1 Sat.                             | 152                       | Nicodemus   | 7 18                      | 1 30                        |                        | ♂ south 3                             |      | 2 4 40                      | 7 20                                  |
| 22]                                | Whitsuntide.              |             | John 14.                  |                             | Day's length 14h. 40m. |                                       |      |                             |                                       |
| 2 Sunday                           | 153                       | Whit Sun.   | 8 4                       | 1 54                        |                        | Spica south 8:36                      |      | 2 4 40                      | 7 20                                  |
| 3 Mond'y                           | 154                       | Whit Mon.   | 8 52                      | 2 14                        |                        | ☽ sets 2:10                           |      | 2 4 39                      | 7 21                                  |
| 4 Tues.                            | 155                       | Darius      | 9 43                      | 2 38                        |                        | ♂ ☽ ☽                                 |      | 2 4 39                      | 7 21                                  |
| 5 Wed.                             | 156                       | Emberday    | 10 35                     | 3 3                         |                        | ♂ ☽ ☽, ♂ ☽                            |      | 2 4 38                      | 7 22                                  |
| 6 Thurs.                           | 157                       | Artemius    | 11 30                     | 3 37                        |                        | ♂ ☽ ☽                                 |      | 2 4 38                      | 7 22                                  |
| 7 Friday                           | 158                       | Lucretia    | morn                      | ▷ ris                       |                        | 7. Arcturus s. 9:12                   | 1    | 4 37                        | 7 23                                  |
| 8 Sat.                             | 159                       | Medardus    | 12 27                     | 8 36                        |                        | ♂ ☽ ☽                                 |      | 1 4 37                      | 7 23                                  |
| 23]                                | Trinity Sunday.           |             | John 3.                   |                             | Day's length 14h. 46m. |                                       |      |                             |                                       |
| 9 Sunday                           | 160                       | Barnimus    | 9 22                      | 9 30                        |                        | Procyon sets 8:41                     |      | 1 4 37                      | 7 23                                  |
| 10 Mond'y                          | 161                       | Flavius     | 3 15                      | 10 11                       |                        | ☽ south 1:35                          |      | 1 4 36                      | 7 24                                  |
| 11 Tues.                           | 162                       | Barnabas    | 3 5                       | 10 48                       |                        | Castor sets 10:15                     |      | 1 4 36                      | 7 24                                  |
| 12 Wed.                            | 163                       | Basilides   | 3 51                      | 11 20                       |                        | ▷ in Apogee, ♀ in ☽                   | 0    | 4 36                        | 7 24                                  |
| 13 Thurs.                          | 164                       | Corpus Chr  | 4 34                      | 11 41                       |                        | Vega south 1:8                        |      | 4 36                        | 7 24                                  |
| 14 Friday                          | 165                       | Helisius    | 5 15                      | morn                        |                        | Pollux sets 9:57                      |      | 4 36                        | 7 24                                  |
| 15 Sat.                            | 166                       | Vitus       | 5 54                      | 12 18                       |                        | 15. Antares south 10:46 Ω             | slow | 4 35                        | 7 25                                  |
| 24]                                | 1st Sunday after Trinity. |             | Luke 16.                  |                             | Day's length 14h. 50m. |                                       |      |                             |                                       |
| 16 Sunday                          | 167                       | Rolandus    | 6 34                      | 12 48                       |                        | Altair south 12:5                     |      | 0 4 35                      | 7 25                                  |
| 17 Mond'y                          | 168                       | St. Albans  | 7 14                      | 1 16                        |                        | 7 ☽ rises 2:31                        |      | 0 4 35                      | 7 25                                  |
| 18 Tues.                           | 169                       | Arnolphus   | 8 8                       | 1 46                        |                        | ♀ stationary                          |      | 1 4 35                      | 7 25                                  |
| 19 Wed.                            | 170                       | Gervasius   | 9 15                      | 2 1                         |                        | Libra sets 8:58                       |      | 1 4 35                      | 7 25                                  |
| 20 Thurs.                          | 171                       | Sylvarius   | 10 27                     | 2 30                        |                        | ♀ sets 8:54                           |      | 1 4 35                      | 7 25                                  |
| 21 Friday                          | 172                       | Raphael     | 11 34                     | 2 58                        |                        | summer begins, longest day            |      | 1 4 36                      | 7 24                                  |
| 22 Sat.                            | 173                       | Achatius    | 12 10                     | ▷ set                       |                        | 22. ♂ ☽ ☽                             |      | 2 4 35                      | 7 25                                  |
| 25]                                | 2d Sunday after Trinity.  |             | Luke 14.                  |                             | Day's length 14h. 50m. |                                       |      |                             |                                       |
| 23 Sunday                          | 174                       | Agrippina   | 12 49                     | 8 47                        |                        | ♂ ☽ ☽, ♂ ☽                            |      | 2 4 35                      | 7 25                                  |
| 24 Mond'y                          | 175                       | John Bapt.  | 1 43                      | 9 34                        |                        | ☽ south 7:47                          |      | 2 4 35                      | 7 25                                  |
| 25 Tues.                           | 176                       | Elogius     | 2 42                      | 10 10                       |                        | ♂ ☽ ☽, ♂ ☽                            |      | 2 4 35                      | 7 25                                  |
| 26 Wed.                            | 177                       | Jeremiah    | 3 36                      | 10 40                       |                        | Regulus sets 10:21                    |      | 3 4 35                      | 7 25                                  |
| 27 Thurs.                          | 178                       | 7 Sleepers  | 4 27                      | 11 4                        |                        | Andromeda rises 9:44                  |      | 3 4 36                      | 7 24                                  |
| 28 Friday                          | 179                       | Leo         | 5 16                      | 11 26                       |                        | Vega south 12:1 ☽                     |      | 3 4 36                      | 7 24                                  |
| 29 Sat.                            | 180                       | Pet. & Paul | 6 3                       | 11 44                       |                        | 29. ♂ south 2:25                      |      | 3 4 36                      | 7 24                                  |
| 26]                                | 3d Sunday after Trinity.  |             | Luke 15.                  |                             | Day's length 14h. 48m. |                                       |      |                             |                                       |
| 30 Sunday                          | 181                       | Lucian      | 6 50                      | morn                        |                        | ♂ ☽ ☽                                 |      | 3 4 36                      | 7 24                                  |

## Moon's Phases.

Full Moon 7th at 5 o'clock morning

Last Quarter, 15th, 5 o'clock, morning.

New Moon 22d. at 4 o'clock, evening.

First Quarter 29th 8 o'clock evening

## Conjectures of the Weather.

The 1st, clear; 2d, shower; 3d, thunder, rain; 4th, sultry, thunder; 5th, showery; 6th, rain and shine; 7th, unsettled; 8th, very warm; 9th, hot day; 10th, clouds; 11th, showery; 12th, rain, damp, fog; 13th, windy; 14th, clearing; 15th, pleasant day; 16th, change; 17th, hazy; 18th, great heat; 19th, sultry, hot; 20th, intense heat; 21st, clouds; 22d, heavy rains; 23d, foggy, rainy; 24th, change; 25th, dark, cloudy, dull; 26th, thunder showers; 27th, warm day; 28th, sultry; 29th, clouds; 30th, change.

No matter how much the wicked get, they are getting it to lose again, but whatever a good man gets he is going to keep.

Lot's wife became a fixed monument to tell people that they can't take a step toward heaven while walking backward.



Rev. C. Clever, D. D.

*Pastor Third Reformed Church, Baltimore, Md., and President of General Synod's Sunday-school Board.*

REV. C. CLEVER, D. D., was born in Cleversburg, Pa., February 11, 1848, of German and Scotch-Irish parentage. He enjoyed the advantages of a Christian home, a training in industry and economy, and a limited common school education. His early life was spent on the farm and in the store. In the spring of 1865 he entered the preparatory school connected with Pennsylvania College, Gettysburg. In the autumn of the following year, 1866, he entered the Freshman Class and remained there till the close of the Sophomore year. Then he entered the Junior class at Franklin and Marshall College, and graduated in 1870. Then followed the three years in the Seminary. His first charge was at Columbia, Lancaster Co., Pa. For six years he labored in this mission of many years standing, and almost succeeded in making it self-supporting. In 1879 he became pastor of the Third Reformed Church of Baltimore. He is a frequent contributor to the *Review* and church papers. The title of D. D. was conferred upon him by Ursinus College.

### In Summer.

BY P. MCARTHUR.

The flower yields its heart to the wind,  
The wind gives its sigh to the sea,  
The sea yearns up to the sun,  
The sun sweeps onward to Thee;  
And back to the spheres attune  
From the spheres to the waves at play  
To the wind, to the flower, to my heart,  
Come Thy love and Thy peace today.

### A Fighting Faith.

This is what the mighty Paul had. He did not count that sort of faith worth anything which was non-combative. He was a lover of true peace, but he well knew that, as a rule, it is obtained only as the result of hard fighting. Paul's faith saw that if the "peace on earth," of which the angel sang at Christ's birth, were to be a glad reality in men's hearts, there must needs be a good deal of clever fighting, and he wanted to be foremost in the fight. A bright preacher says: "Of the two travelers—Faith and Sense—the former resists even unto blood and so preserves her treasures; the latter, so soon as accosted by the assassin of unbelief, cries out, 'Let go, I will join you!'" Too many of the latter class are in our churches. Oh, for more who have a holy fighting faith!

### The Reformed Church and Educational Religion.

The history of the Reformed Church rests upon the fact that the times in which she was born demanded a more intelligent apprehension of the Word of God than was practiced in the Roman Catholic Church. It was necessary at that time to teach the children the principles of our religion in order that they might withstand the influence of Romanism. Catechisation was the only means by which they could clearly teach the children and adults what the Reformed Church believed and what it should practice. The Reformed Church lays stress upon an intelligent faith by which men are ingrafted into Christ. Let us hold fast to these landmarks of our church.

## 7th Month.

JULY, 1895

31 Days.

| DAYS OF<br>month, week, year, etc. |        |     | MOON<br>SOUTH<br>h. m. | MOON<br>R. & S.<br>h. m. | MOON<br>SIGNS.<br>h. m. | Aspects of Planets<br>and Miscellany. |                          |   | SUN.<br>SLOW.<br>h. m. | SUN.<br>RISES.<br>h. m. | SUN.<br>SETS.<br>h. m. |
|------------------------------------|--------|-----|------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|---|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| 1                                  | Mond'y | 182 | Theobald               | 7 39                     | 12 28                   | ☽                                     | ♂ ♀ ○, ⊕ in Aphelion     | ☽ | 4                      | 4 37                    | 7 23                   |
| 2                                  | Tues.  | 183 | Visit V.M.             | 8 30                     | 1 2                     | ☽                                     | ♂ ♃ ⊙                    | ☽ | 4                      | 4 37                    | 7 23                   |
| 3                                  | Wed.   | 184 | Cornelius              | 9 24                     | 1 38                    | ☽                                     | Regulus sets 9:44        | ☽ | 4                      | 4 37                    | 7 23                   |
| 4                                  | Thurs. | 185 | Independ.              | 10 19                    | 2 14                    | ☽                                     | ☿ stationary             | ☽ | 4                      | 4 38                    | 7 22                   |
| 5                                  | Friday | 186 | Demetrius              | 11 14                    | 3 7                     | ☽                                     | ☽ ♀ in Aphelion          | ☽ | 4                      | 4 38                    | 7 22                   |
| 6                                  | Sat.   | 187 | John Huss              | morn                     | ☽ Iris                  | ☽                                     | ☽ 6. Altair s. 12:42     | ☽ | 4                      | 4 38                    | 7 22                   |
| 27] 4th Sunday after Trinity.      |        |     | Luke 6.                |                          |                         | Day's length 14h. 44m.                |                          |   |                        |                         |                        |
| 7                                  | Sunday | 188 | Edulburga              | 12 8                     | 8 44                    | ☽                                     | ♂ south 2:17             | ☽ | 5                      | 4 39                    | 7 21                   |
| 8                                  | Mond'y | 189 | Aquila                 | 12 59                    | 9 20                    | ☽                                     | Spica sets 11:37         | ☽ | 5                      | 4 39                    | 7 21                   |
| 9                                  | Tues.  | 190 | Zeno                   | 1 46                     | 8 48                    | ☽                                     | Antares sets 9:8         | ☽ | 5                      | 4 39                    | 7 21                   |
| 10                                 | Wed.   | 191 | J. Calvin              | 2 30                     | 10 4                    | ☽                                     | ♂ ፲ ○                    | ☽ | 5                      | 4 40                    | 7 20                   |
| 11                                 | Thurs. | 192 | Pius                   | 3 12                     | 10 28                   | ☽                                     | ☽ in Apogee              | ☽ | 5                      | 4 40                    | 7 20                   |
| 12                                 | Friday | 193 | Henry                  | 3 51                     | 10 58                   | ☽                                     | ♀ Stationary             | ☽ | 5                      | 4 41                    | 7 19                   |
| 13                                 | Sat.   | 194 | Margaret               | 4 30                     | 11 20                   | ☽                                     | ♀ Great. Hel. Lat. S.    | ☽ | 5                      | 4 41                    | 7 19                   |
| 28] 5th Sunday after Trinity.      |        |     | Luke 4.                |                          |                         | Day's length 14h. 38m.                |                          |   |                        |                         |                        |
| 14                                 | Sunday | 195 | Bonavent               | 5 10                     | 11 51                   | ☽                                     | ☽ 14. Dog Days begin     | ☽ | 6                      | 4 42                    | 7 18                   |
| 15                                 | Mond'y | 196 | Apostles' d            | 5 51                     | morn                    | ☽                                     | Andromeda ris. 8:40      | ☽ | 6                      | 4 43                    | 7 17                   |
| 16                                 | Tues.  | 197 | Hiliary                | 6 35                     | 12 30                   | ☽                                     | Regulus sets 8:5         | ☽ | 6                      | 4 43                    | 7 17                   |
| 17                                 | Wed.   | 198 | Alexius                | 7 24                     | 1 15                    | ☽                                     | ♀ in ♀                   | ☽ | 6                      | 4 44                    | 7 16                   |
| 18                                 | Thurs. | 199 | Maternus               | 8 18                     | 1 50                    | ☽                                     | 7 ☽ rises 2:54           | ☽ | 6                      | 4 45                    | 7 15                   |
| 19                                 | Friday | 200 | Ruffina                | 9 17                     | 2 20                    | ☽                                     | ♂ ♃ ☽                    | ☽ | 6                      | 4 46                    | 7 14                   |
| 20                                 | Sat.   | 201 | Elias                  | 10 20                    | 2 53                    | ☽                                     | ♂ ♀ ☽                    | ☽ | 6                      | 4 47                    | 7 13                   |
| 29] 6th Sunday after Trinity.      |        |     | Matt. 5.               |                          |                         | Day's length 14h. 26m.                |                          |   |                        |                         |                        |
| 21                                 | Sunday | 202 | Praxedes               | 11 24                    | 3 30                    | ☽                                     | ☽ 21. ♂ ፲ ☽              | ☽ | 6                      | 4 48                    | 7 12                   |
| 22                                 | Mond'y | 203 | Mary Mag               | 12 26                    | ☽ set                   | ☽                                     | ○ enters ☽               | ☽ | 6                      | 4 48                    | 7 12                   |
| 23                                 | Tues.  | 204 | Appolinar              | 1 24                     | 8 4                     | ☽                                     | ☽ in Peig., ♂ ♀ ☽, ☽ ፲ ○ | ☽ | 6                      | 4 49                    | 7 11                   |
| 24                                 | Wed.   | 205 | Christiana             | 2 19                     | 8 29                    | ☽                                     | ☿ Stationary.            | ☽ | 6                      | 4 50                    | 7 10                   |
| 25                                 | Thurs. | 206 | St. James              | 3 10                     | 9 17                    | ☽                                     | ♂ ♀ ☽                    | ☽ | 6                      | 4 51                    | 7 9                    |
| 26                                 | Friday | 207 | St. Anne               | 3 58                     | 9 50                    | ☽                                     | ♀ sets 7:48              | ☽ | 6                      | 4 52                    | 7 8                    |
| 27                                 | Sat.   | 208 | Martha                 | 4 47                     | 10 20                   | ☽                                     | Arcturus sets 12:56      | ☽ | 6                      | 4 53                    | 7 7                    |
| 30] 7th Sunday after Trinity.      |        |     | Mark 8.                |                          |                         | Day's length 14h. 14m.                |                          |   |                        |                         |                        |
| 28                                 | Sunday | 209 | Pantaleon              | 5 36                     | 10 48                   | ☽                                     | ☽ 28. ♂ ፲ ☽              | ☽ | 6                      | 4 53                    | 7 7                    |
| 29                                 | Mond'y | 210 | Beatrix                | 6 27                     | 11 37                   | ☽                                     | ♂ ♃ ☽                    | ☽ | 6                      | 4 54                    | 7 6                    |
| 30                                 | Tues.  | 211 | Upton                  | 7 20                     | morn                    | ☽                                     | ☿ south 5:27             | ☽ | 6                      | 4 55                    | 7 5                    |
| 31                                 | Wed.   | 212 | Germanus               | 8 14                     | 12 30                   | ☽                                     | ♀ in ♀                   | ☽ | 6                      | 4 56                    | 7 4                    |

## Moon's Phases.

Full Moon, 6th, at 5 o'clock, evening

Last Quarter, 14th, 9 o'clock, evening

New Moon, 21st, at 11 o'clock, evening.

First Quarter 28th 2 o'clock evening

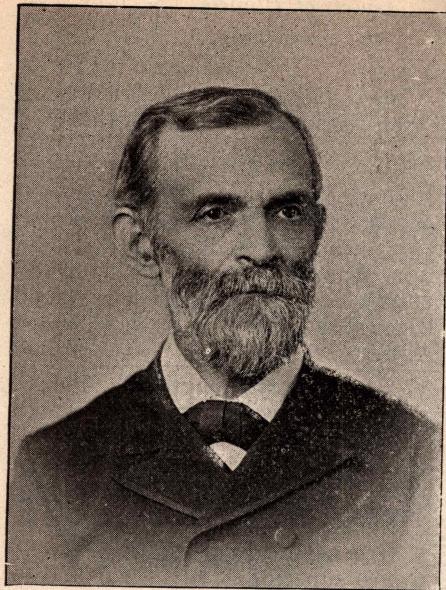
Jupiter (24) is in conjunction with the

## Conjectures of the Weather

The 1st, hot day; 2d, hazy; 3d, change; 4th, thunder; 5th, showery, thunder; 6th, rain; 7th, wind; 8th, sultry, warm; 9th, showery; 10th, change; 11th, clouds; 12th, rainy; 13th, sultry; 14th, showers, thunder; 15th, very warm; 16th, great heat; 17th, warmest day; 18th, sheltering; 19th, clear, cooler; 20th, breezy; 21st, cloudy, rain 22d, showery; 23d, damp, wet; 24th, clouds; 25th, foggy, damp day; 26th, thunder showers; 27th, foggy, moist; 28th, variable; 29th, cloudy; 30th, cool; 31st, pleasant

Jupiter (24) is in conjunction with the sun on the 10th, and can not be seen.

I can conceive no dying hour more awful than that of one who has aspired to know instead of to love, and finds himself at last amid a world of barren facts and lifeless theories, loving none and adoring nothing.



Rev. A. R. Kremer, D. D.,  
Berlin, Pa.

REV. A. R. KREMER was born near York, Pa., February 1, 1832, but spent the greater part of his childhood and youth in Franklin Co.; attended the Academy in Chambersburg, and took a regular course in Dickinson College, in class of '56. After a seminary course at Mercersburg he was ordained November 26, 1859, at Mechanicsburg, Pa. He organized that church with nineteen members. Four years later he became pastor of the Yellow Creek Charge, Bedford Co.—five years. Glade Charge, Md., five years, and served what are now three charges: Emmitsburg, Md., eight years; Winchester, Va., three years; Canton, Ohio, two years and two months; Berlin, (his present charge of one congregation) over eight years.

He has written a good deal in his time for church papers and *Quarterly Review*, and for six years was an assistant editor of the *Reformed Church Messenger*. He wrote a people's "Life of Dr. J. W. Nevin," and several other works not yet published. Dr. Kremer is the only one remaining of three brothers who were ministers in our church.

### Zwingli at Einsiedeln.

On the Festival of our Lady of the Hermits, 1517, Zwingli stood up to preach in the Abbey of Einsiedeln, situated in one of the upper mountain valleys of the Alps in the northeastern part of Switzerland. He felt as Paul had felt at Athens, when he saw the whole city given up to idolatry. Crowds of pilgrims came up the mountain to this abbey to have their sins forgiven by the Virgin of Einsiedeln. He felt he must correct this false idea. He went into the pulpit and boldly attacked this superstition. His theme was, "Christ alone saves, and he saves everywhere." "Not Mary, but Christ is our Savior; not man, but God forgives sins; not works, but faith is the way of justification and eternal life." Again at the feast of Pentecost he preached the same way. The impression made by him was wonderful. All were astonished, some were angered, others delighted. Some fled in horror at his words, others lingered to learn the love of Jesus. Those going away told those who were still coming up the Alps that Christ and not Mary saves from sin. The multitude of pilgrims to the shrine of Mary decreased, for Zwingli had begun the Reformation which led to the formation of the Reformed Church.

The Reformed Church has its martyrs, the first of whom was Ulric Zwingli who died on the battlefield of Cappel October 11, 1531. "At the place he died is a metallic slab bearing an inscription stating that Ulric Zwingli for truth and the Christian faith died the hero's death, and also his dying words, 'They may kill the body, but they can not kill the soul.' At one side of the monument is a pear tree. Zwingli died under a pear tree. So every time the pear tree dies, another is planted in its place."

No one can ask honestly or hopefully to be delivered from temptation unless he has himself honestly and firmly determined to do the best he can to keep out of it.

If thou wish to be crowned, thou must fight manfully and suffer patiently. Without labor none can obtain rest, and without contending there can be no conquest.

8th Month.

AUGUST, 1895.

31 Days.

| DAYS OF                 |     |           |    | MOON  | MOON    | MOON        | SIGNS | Aspects of Planets |   | SUN  | SUN         |
|-------------------------|-----|-----------|----|-------|---------|-------------|-------|--------------------|---|------|-------------|
| month, week, year, etc. |     |           |    | SOUTH | R. & S. | h. m. h. m. | SIGNS | and Miscellany.    |   | SLOW | RISES SETS. |
| 1 Wed.                  | 213 | Lammas d. | 9  | 9     | 1       | 20          |       | 6 ♀ ♁              |   | 6    | 4 57 7 3    |
| 2 Thurs.                | 214 | Augustus  | 10 | 3     | 2       | 3           |       | ♂ south 1:37       | □ | 6    | 4 58 7 2    |
| 3 Friday                | 215 | Dominick  | 10 | 55    | 2       | 45          |       | Orion rises 2:28   |   | 6    | 4 59 7 1    |

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| 31] | 8th Sunday after Trinity. | Matt. 17. | Day's length | 14h. 02m. |                    |   |            |
| 4   | Sunday 216 Stephen        | 11 43     | 3 21         |           | 4 south 10:48      |   | 6 5 0 7 0  |
| 5   | Mond'y 217 Oswald         | morn      | ○ ris        |           | 5. ♀ in Perihelion |   | 6 5 1 6 59 |
| 6   | Tues. 218 Tr. of Chr.     | 12 28     | 7 57         |           | Sirius rises 4:29  |   | 6 5 2 6 58 |
| 7   | Wed. 219 Godfrey          | 1 10      | 8 20         |           | ○ in Apogee        |   | 5 5 3 6 57 |
| 8   | Thurs. 220 Emelius        | 1 50      | 8 50         |           | □ ♀ ○              |   | 5 5 4 6 56 |
| 9   | Friday 221 Ericus         | 2 29      | 9 12         |           | Rigel rises 11:16  | Ω | 5 5 6 6 54 |
| 10  | Sat. 222 St. Lawr.        | 3 8       | 9 35         |           | Antares sets 11:32 |   | 5 5 7 6 53 |

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| 32] | 9th Sunday after Trinity. | Luke 17. | Day's length | 13h. 46m. |                       |   |             |
| 11  | Sunday 223 Titus          | 3 48     | 10 4         |           | Arcturus sets 11:20   |   | 5 5 8 6 52  |
| 12  | Mond'y 224 Clara          | 4 30     | 10 39        |           | Orion rises 1:53      |   | 5 5 9 6 51  |
| 13  | Tues. 225 Hildebert       | 5 16     | 11 20        |           | 13. ♀ south 4:35      |   | 5 5 10 6 50 |
| 14  | Wed. 226 Eusebius         | 6 6      | morn         |           | Vega sets 3:26        |   | 4 5 11 6 49 |
| 15  | Thurs. 227 Ass. V. M.     | 7 2      | 12 23        |           | ○ ♀ ○                 | Ω | 4 5 12 6 48 |
| 16  | Friday 228 Rochus         | 8 1      | 1 30         |           | ♀ Great. Hel. Lat. N. |   | 4 5 14 6 46 |
| 17  | Sat. 229 Agapetus         | 9 4      | 2 18         |           | ○ ♀ ○ superior        |   | 4 5 15 6 45 |

|     |                            |          |              |           |                       |   |             |
|-----|----------------------------|----------|--------------|-----------|-----------------------|---|-------------|
| 33] | 10th Sunday after Trinity. | Luke 19. | Day's length | 13h. 30m. |                       |   |             |
| 18  | Sunday 230 Bertram         | 10 7     | 2 54         |           | 6 ♀ ○                 |   | 4 5 16 6 44 |
| 19  | Mond'y 231 Sebaldus        | 11 7     | 3 40         |           | Procyon sets 3:21     |   | 3 5 17 6 43 |
| 20  | Tues. 232 Bernard          | 12 3     | ○ set        |           | 20. ○ eclips., invis. |   | 3 5 18 6 42 |
| 21  | Wed. 233 Rebecca           | 12 57    | 7 35         |           | 6 ♀ ○                 |   | 3 5 19 6 41 |
| 22  | Thurs. 234 Philibert       | 1 48     | 8 18         |           | 6 ♀ ○, ♀ sets 7:10    | ♂ | 3 5 21 6 39 |
| 23  | Friday 235 Zaccheus        | 2 38     | 8 50         |           | Dog Days end, ○ ent.  |   | 2 5 22 6 38 |
| 24  | Sat. 236 St. Barth.        | 3 29     | 9 10         |           | 6 ♀ ○                 |   | 2 5 23 6 37 |

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| 34] | 11th Sunday after Trinity. | Luke 18. | Day's length | 13h. 14m. |                   |   |             |
| 25  | Sunday 237 Ludovicus       | 4 21     | 9 42         |           | 6 ♀ ○, ♀ sets 9:8 |   | 2 5 24 6 36 |
| 26  | Mond'y 238 Samuel          | 5 14     | 10 26        |           | ♀ stationary      |   | 2 5 26 6 34 |
| 27  | Tues. 239 Gebhard          | 6 9      | 11 10        |           | 27. ♀ south 9:41  |   | 1 5 27 6 33 |
| 28  | Wed. 240 St. August        | 7 4      | morn         |           | 7 ○ rises 9:36    |   | 1 5 28 6 32 |
| 29  | Thurs. 241 John beh.       | 7 59     | 12 6         |           | Vega south 7:54   | Ω | 1 5 29 6 31 |
| 30  | Friday 242 Benjamin        | 8 51     | 12 57        |           | ♂ south 12:51     |   | 0 5 30 6 30 |
| 31  | Sat. 243 Paulinus          | 9 40     | 1 43         |           | Spica sets 8:4    |   | 0 5 31 6 29 |

## Moon's Phases.

Full Moon, 5th, 8 o'clock, morning.

Last Quarter, 13th, 11 o'clock, morning.

New Moon, 20th, at 7 o'clock, morning.

First Quarter, 27th, 12 o'clock, morning.

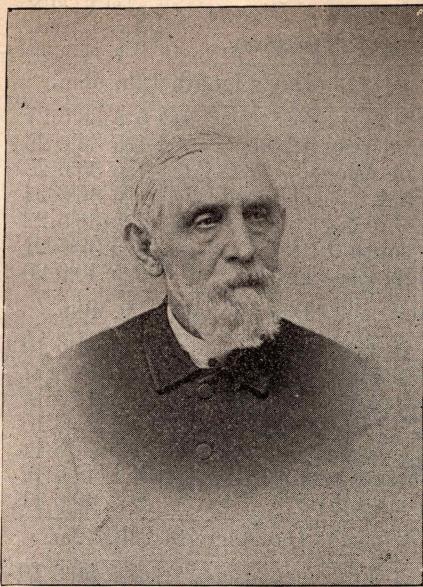
## Conjectures of the Weather.

The 1st, thunder; 2d, cloudy; 3d, warm; 4th, very warm; 5th, thunder; 6th, threatening; 7th, foggy; 8th, cooler; 9th, clear; 10th, cool, fresh; 11th, warmer; 12th, clear; 13th, clouds; 14th, change; 15th, rain; 16th, foggy; 17th, showery; 18th, pleasant; 19th, clear; 20th, genial; 21st, cloudy, cool; 22d, thunder showers; 23d, clouds; 24th, rainy day; 25th, damp, foggy; 26th, windy, cool; 27th, rain; 28th, pleasant; 29th, change; 30th, cool; 31st, clearing.

You can't square accounts with God as long as you are in your brother's debt.

Our grand business is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies closely at hand.

Fight your troubles one at a time. As soon as you have knocked down one or two the others will run.



Rev. A. H. Kremer, D. D., Dec'd.

Carlisle, Pa.

REV. AMOS H. KREMER, D. D., was born in Washington, Pa., November 3, 1814, and was in his eightieth year when he died. After completing his education in college and the Theological Seminary at Mercersburg, he was ordained in October, 1839, and continued in the active duties of the ministry without interruption for nearly fifty-five years. His first charge was Shippensburg, six years; Carlisle, fifteen years; First Reformed Church, Lancaster, sixteen and one-half years; then again Carlisle, seventeen years. He was strong and vigorous until a few months before his death. He was an earnest preacher, full of fire and energy, a remarkably faithful and devoted pastor, most successful in all his work, and highly esteemed by all who knew him. He was one of the old landmarks of the Reformed Church, closely identified with her interests, and prominent in her counsels. For many years he was President of the Eastern Board of Visitors of the Theological Seminary, and was, up to the time of his death. The various institutions of the church were dear to his heart.

## An August Day.

MRS. M. A. HOLT.

A hush is resting o'er the world  
As deep and sweet as Sabbath calm,  
While peace with white wings all unfurled  
Brings to our tired souls a balm.

It is the time of Nature's rest,  
When mother earth lies faint and still,  
Yet holding on her faithful breast  
Her golden tokens of "good-will."

How sweet the tender, quiet spell  
That broods o'er all the peaceful scene  
Of wooded heights, of plain and dell  
Touched with their summer hues of green.

I ever think this day a type  
Of human lives, when work is done,  
And all the yellow grain is ripe,  
Yet glowing in the setting sun.

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Great was the year 1523 in the history of the Reformed Church. Although she had existed before, as early as 1516, through Zwingli's preaching, yet this year marked her birth as an organization. On January of that year Zwingli presented sixty-seven theses to the city council of Zurich against the errors of Romanism. Just as Luther had nailed his ninety-five theses on the church door of Wittenberg, so here Zwingli presented his theses. But Luther's were aimed mainly against one thing, the sale of indulgences; Zwingli's covered a wider range. They were aimed at other abuses as well as indulgences. They gave a clear outline of the meaning and extent of the reformation that the Reformers proposed to make. Great was his victory. The city council sustained him. But greater still was his victory eight months later as in October he debated before that city council against two more of Rome's errors, the worship of images and the errors of the mass. Nine hundred people assembled from near and from far on October 26, to this disputation. The result of this debate was that Zwingli and the truth conquered, for the city council ordered that images should be put out of the churches and that the Lord's Supper should take the place of the mass. The first Lord's Supper held after the Reformed fashion was observed in the cathedral at Zurich on Christmas, 1523.

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Three things to cultivate—good books, good friends, and good humor.

9th Month.

SEPTEMBER, 1895.

30 Days.

| DAYS OF<br>month, week, year, etc.    |     |                     | MOON<br>SOUTH<br>h. m. h. | MOON<br>R. & S.<br>m. h. m. | MOON<br>SIGNS | Aspects of Planets<br>and Miscellany. |   | SUN<br>PAST.<br>h. m. | SUN<br>RISES.<br>h. m. | SUN<br>SETS.<br>h. m. |
|---------------------------------------|-----|---------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|---|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>35] 12th Sunday after Trinity.</b> |     |                     |                           |                             |               |                                       |   |                       |                        |                       |
| 1 Sunday                              | 244 | Egidius             | 10 26                     | 2 14                        |               | δ ♀ ♂                                 |   | 0 5 33                | 6 27                   |                       |
| 2 Mond'y                              | 245 | Eliza               | 11 9                      | 2 58                        |               | Orion rises 12:36                     |   | 1 5 34                | 6 26                   |                       |
| 3 Tues.                               | 246 | Mansuetus           | 11 50                     | 3 40                        |               | ☽ in Apogee                           |   | 1 5 35                | 6 25                   |                       |
| 4 Wed.                                | 247 | Moses               | morn                      | ☽ ris                       |               | 4. ☽ eclipsed, vis.                   |   | 1 5 36                | 6 24                   |                       |
| 5 Thurs.                              | 248 | Nathaniel           | 12 29                     | 7 20                        |               | δ ♀ ♀                                 |   | 2 5 38                | 6 22                   |                       |
| 6 Friday                              | 249 | Magnus              | 1 8                       | 7 47                        |               | ☽ south 9:10                          |   | 2 5 39                | 6 21                   |                       |
| 7 Sat.                                | 250 | Regina              | 1 47                      | 8 12                        |               | Rigel rises 11:34                     |   | 2 5 40                | 6 20                   |                       |
| <b>36] 13th Sunday after Trinity.</b> |     |                     |                           |                             |               |                                       |   |                       |                        |                       |
| 8 Sunday                              | 251 | <i>Nat. V. M.</i>   | 2 29                      | 8 41                        |               | ♀ in ♈                                |   | 3 5 41                | 6 19                   |                       |
| 9 Mond'y                              | 252 | Bruno               | 3 13                      | 9 30                        |               | δ ♀ ♂                                 |   | 3 5 43                | 6 17                   |                       |
| 10 Tues.                              | 253 | Pulcheria           | 4 1                       | 10 35                       |               | □ ☽                                   |   | 3 5 44                | 6 16                   |                       |
| 11 Wed.                               | 254 | Protus              | 4 53                      | 11 50                       |               | 11. δ ♀ ☽                             |   | 4 5 45                | 6 15                   |                       |
| 12 Thurs.                             | 255 | <i>J. Wickliffe</i> | 5 49                      | morn                        |               | ♀ Gr. Hel. Lat. S.                    |   | 4 5 47                | 6 13                   |                       |
| 13 Friday                             | 256 | Amatus              | 6 49                      | 12 47                       |               | Antares sets 9:18                     |   | 4 5 48                | 6 12                   |                       |
| 14 Sat.                               | 257 | <i>Elev. Holy†</i>  | 7 50                      | 1 44                        |               | ☽ rises 2:10                          |   | 5 5 49                | 6 11                   |                       |
| <b>37] 14th Sunday after Trinity.</b> |     |                     |                           |                             |               |                                       |   |                       |                        |                       |
| 15 Sunday                             | 258 | Nicasius            | 8 49                      | 2 33                        |               | δ ♀ ☽                                 |   | 5 5 50                | 6 10                   |                       |
| 16 Mond'y                             | 259 | Euphemia            | 9 59                      | 3 37                        |               | ☽ south 2:31                          |   | 5 5 52                | 6 8                    |                       |
| 17 Tues.                              | 260 | Lambertus           | 11 4                      | 4 50                        |               | Vega sets 7:0                         |   | 6 5 53                | 6 7                    |                       |
| 18 Wed.                               | 261 | <i>Emberday</i>     | 12 3                      | ☽ set                       |               | 18. ☽ ecl. invis. ♀                   |   | 6 5 54                | 6                      |                       |
| 19 Thurs.                             | 262 | Micletto            | 12 47                     | 6 30                        |               | δ ♀ ☽, infer. δ ♂                     |   | 6 5 56                | 6 4                    |                       |
| 20 Friday                             | 263 | Jonas               | 1 25                      | 7 27                        |               | δ ♀ ☽                                 |   | 7 5 57                | 6 3                    |                       |
| 21 Sat.                               | 264 | <i>St. Matth.</i>   | 2 8                       | 8 10                        |               | δ ☽, ☽ stationary                     |   | 7 5 58                | 6 2                    |                       |
| <b>38] 15th Sunday after Trinity.</b> |     |                     |                           |                             |               |                                       |   |                       |                        |                       |
| 22 Sunday                             | 265 | Maurice             | 3 3                       | 8 50                        |               | δ ♀ ☽                                 |   | 7 5 59                | 6 1                    |                       |
| 23 Mond'y                             | 266 | Hosea               | 3 59                      | 9 22                        |               | ○ ent. ☽ ant. beg. d. & n. equal      |   | 8 6                   | 0 6                    | 0                     |
| 24 Tues.                              | 267 | <i>St. John</i>     | 4 56                      | 10 15                       |               | 7 ☽ rises 8:5                         |   | 8 6                   | 25                     | 58                    |
| 25 Wed.                               | 268 | Cleophas            | 5 53                      | 11 4                        |               | 25. Antares sets 8:36                 |   | 8 6                   | 45                     | 56                    |
| 26 Thurs.                             | 269 | Justina             | 6 47                      | morn                        |               | Capella s. 4:50                       | ☽ | 9 6                   | 55                     | 55                    |
| 27 Friday                             | 270 | Cosmus              | 7 37                      | 12 18                       |               | Orion rises 11:7                      |   | 9 6                   | 65                     | 54                    |
| 28 Sat.                               | 271 | Wenaslaus           | 8 24                      | 1 11                        |               | Sirius rises 1:18                     |   | 9 6                   | 85                     | 52                    |
| <b>39] 16th Sunday after Trinity.</b> |     |                     |                           |                             |               |                                       |   |                       |                        |                       |
| 29 Sunday                             | 272 | <i>St. Michael</i>  | 9 8                       | 2 8                         |               | ☽ south 7:56                          |   | 10 6                  | 95                     | 51                    |
| 30 Mond'y                             | 273 | Jerome              | 9 49                      | 2 54                        |               | ☽ in Apogee                           |   | 10 6                  | 105                    | 50                    |

**Moon's Phases.**

Full Moon, 4th, 12 o'clock, morning.

Last Quarter, 11th, 11 o'clock, evening.

New Moon, 18th, 3 o'clock, evening.

First Quarter, 25th, 12 o'clock, evening.

Venus (♀) is in inferior conjunction with the sun on the 19th, and changes from evening star to morning star.

People who are not to be trusted in trifles are not to be trusted anywhere.

**Conjectures of the Weather.**

The 1st, cooler; 2d, damp; 3d, unsettled; 4th, damp, dull; 5th, clearing; 6th, warmer; 7th, threatening; 8th, thunder; 9th, clouds, windy; 10th, cloudy; 11th, cool; 12th, thunder; 13th, showers; 14th, heavy rains; 15th, drizzle, damp; 16th, variable; 17th, change; 18th, threatening; 19th, dark, cloudy; 20th, windy; 21st, blustery, cool; 22d, frost; 23d, changeable; 24th, foggy; 25th, cool; 26th, frosty; 27th, unpleasant; 28th, cloudy, hazy; 29th, damp, cloudy; 30th, showers.



Rev. J. W. Meminger.

Lancaster, Pa.

REV. J. W. MEMINGER, pastor of St. Paul's Reformed Church, Lancaster, Pa., was born near Ickesburg, Perry Co., Pa. His father was a farmer, and for thirty years an elder in Zion's Reformed Church. His ancestors came from North Carolina. He was educated in public schools and at the Bloomfield Academy; began teaching at the age of seventeen; prepared for college at the Tuscarora Academy; entered the Sophomore class in Ursinus College and graduated in 1884; completed his course in theology in 1886; graduated from the National School of Oratory in Philadelphia, and was ordained to the gospel ministry in June of that year in Brownbacks Charge, Chester Co., Pa. The work prospered greatly, and in January, 1887, he was called to St. Paul's, Lancaster, Pa. This call, after due consideration, was declined, but the congregation repeated it and he accepted the second call and became pastor on the first of July, 1887. Mr. D. C. Haverstick, an elder of the congregation, was mainly instrumental in bringing about the acceptance of the call, and when Rev. Meminger came to Lancaster he found a people

ready to support him in all his undertaking. To this fact, with the blessing of God, he attributes the success of the work. There were then 270 names on the roll, and 191 communicant members. The 191, in less than seven years, have become nearly 600, and the congregation has advanced rapidly in every department of work. The church is crowded at both the morning and evening services. Two services are held on Sunday evening, one in the lecture room at 6.30, and one in the main audience room at 7.30; both are crowded so that standing room is in demand during most of the year. Rev. Meminger believes in good music, good strong preaching of the old gospel, making the church a spiritual center and home, and letting the Holy Spirit do the rest.

Rev. Meminger is in demand as a lecturer and speaker on special occasions. He, with Dr. Spangler Kieffer, D. D., and Dr. Elmendorf of New York, was chosen to deliver the address on "Landmarks of the Century," at the centennial services of the General Synod in Reading, where over three thousand people gathered in the Academy of Music and made the celebrations one of the great events in the history of the Reformed Church.

#### The Use of Flowers.

God might have made the earth bring forth  
Enough for great and small,  
The oak-tree and the cedar tree,  
Without a flower at all.  
We might have had enough, enough  
For every want of ours,  
For luxury, medicine, and toil,  
And yet have had no flowers.

Then wherefore, wherefore were they made,  
All dyed with rainbow light,  
All fashioned with supremest grace  
Upspringing day and night;—  
Springing in valleys green and low,  
And on the mountain high,  
And in the silent wilderness  
Where no man passes by?

Our outward life requires them not,  
Then wherefore had they birth?  
To minister delight to man,  
To beautify the earth;  
To comfort man,—to whisper hope,  
Whene'er his faith is dim,  
For who so careth for the flowers  
Will care much more for him!

Mary Howitt.

10th Month

OCTOBER, 1895.

31 Days.

| DAYS OF<br>month, week, year, etc. |     |            | MOON<br>SOUTH | MOON<br>R. & S. | MOON<br>SIGNS | Aspects of Planets<br>and Miscellany. | SUN<br>FAST. | SUN<br>RISES. | SUN<br>SETS. |
|------------------------------------|-----|------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
|                                    |     |            | h. m. h.      | m.              |               |                                       | h. m.        | h. m.         | h. m.        |
| 1 Tues.                            | 274 | Remigius   | 10 28         | 3 40            | ☽             | ♀ Great. Elong. E. ☽                  | 10 6         | 12 5          | 48           |
| 2 Wed.                             | 275 | Columbus   | 11 17         | 4 50            | ☽             | Sirius rises 1:6 ☽                    | 11 6         | 13 5          | 47           |
| 3 Thurs.                           | 276 | Jairus     | morn          | ☽ ris           | ☽             | ☽ 3. 7 ☽ rises 7:34                   | 11 6         | 14 5          | 46           |
| 4 Friday                           | 277 | Franciscus | 12 7          | 6 33            | ☽             | ☽ Altair south 7:2                    | 11 6         | 16 5          | 46           |
| 5 Sat.                             | 278 | Placidus   | 12 47         | 6 58            | ☽             | ☽ Antares sets 8:22                   | 12 6         | 17 5          | 43           |

40] 17th Sunday after Trinity. Luke 14. Day's length 11h. 36m.

|           |     |           |      |       |   |                        |      |      |    |
|-----------|-----|-----------|------|-------|---|------------------------|------|------|----|
| 6 Sunday  | 279 | Fides     | 1 11 | 7 30  | ☽ | ☽ south 1:21           | 12 6 | 18 5 | 41 |
| 7 Mond'y  | 280 | Amelia    | 1 58 | 7 59  | ☽ | ☽ Markab south 9:46    | 12 6 | 19 5 | 40 |
| 8 Tues.   | 281 | Pelagius  | 2 49 | 8 30  | ☽ | ☽ stationary           | 13 6 | 21 5 | 39 |
| 9 Wed.    | 282 | Dionysius | 3 44 | 9 25  | ☽ | ☽ ♀ ☽                  | 13 6 | 22 5 | 38 |
| 10 Thurs. | 283 | Gereon    | 4 41 | 10 21 | ☽ | ☽ Aldebaran rises 8:30 | 13 6 | 23 5 | 37 |
| 11 Friday | 284 | Burkhard  | 5 40 | 11 37 | ☽ | ☽ 11. ☽ ☽ ☽            | 14 6 | 24 5 | 36 |
| 12 Sat.   | 285 | Veritas   | 6 38 | morn  | ☽ | ☽ ☽ ☽                  | 14 6 | 25 5 | 35 |

41] 18th Sunday after Trinity. Matt. 22. Day's length 11h. 10m.

|           |     |            |       |       |   |                            |      |      |    |
|-----------|-----|------------|-------|-------|---|----------------------------|------|------|----|
| 13 Sunday | 286 | Coloman    | 7 34  | 12 47 | ☽ | ☽ south 7:5                | 14 6 | 27 5 | 55 |
| 14 Mond'y | 287 | Fortunata  | 8 28  | 1 59  | ☽ | ☽ stationary               | 14 6 | 28 5 | 32 |
| 15 Tues.  | 288 | Hedwick    | 9 19  | 3 0   | ☽ | ☽ ♀ ☽ rises 3:6 ☽          | 14 6 | 29 5 | 31 |
| 16 Wed.   | 289 | Gallus     | 10 10 | 4 3   | ☽ | ☽ in Perigee               | 14 6 | 31 5 | 29 |
| 17 Thurs. | 290 | Florentina | 11 41 | 5 10  | ☽ | ☽ ☽ ☽                      | 15 6 | 32 5 | 28 |
| 18 Friday | 291 | St. Luke   | 12 47 | ▷ set | ☽ | ☽ 18. Fomalhaut south 9:20 | 15 6 | 33 5 | 27 |
| 19 Sat.   | 292 | Ptolemy    | 1 44  | 5 54  | ☽ | ☽ ♀ ☽, ☽ ☽ ☽               | 15 6 | 35 5 | 25 |

42] 19th Sunday after Trinity. Matt. 9. Day's length 10h. 50m.

|           |     |            |        |      |   |                      |      |      |    |
|-----------|-----|------------|--------|------|---|----------------------|------|------|----|
| 20 Sunday | 293 | Felicianus | 2 42   | 6 20 | ☽ | ☽ Algenib sets 10:8  | 15 6 | 36 5 | 24 |
| 21 Mond'y | 294 | Ursula     | 3 41   | 7 34 | ☽ | ☽ Capella south 3:23 | 15 6 | 37 5 | 23 |
| 22 Tues.  | 295 | Cordula    | 4 37   | 8 30 | ☽ | ☽ Orion rises 4:32   | 15 6 | 39 5 | 21 |
| 23 Wed.   | 296 | Severinus  | 5 30   | 9 10 | ☽ | ☽ enters ☽           | 16 6 | 40 5 | 20 |
| 24 Thurs. | 297 | Salome     | 6 19   | 10 6 | ☽ | ☽ south 12:18        | 16 6 | 41 5 | 19 |
| 25 Friday | 298 | Crispin    | 7 4 11 | 2    | ☽ | ☽ 25. ☽ ☽ inferior   | 16 6 | 42 5 | 18 |
| 26 Sat.   | 299 | Amandus    | 7 46   | morn | ☽ | ☽ ☽ Great. Brillancy | 16 6 | 43 5 | 17 |

43] 20th Sunday after Trinity. Matt. 22. Day's length 10h. 34m.

|           |     |            |       |       |   |                         |      |      |    |
|-----------|-----|------------|-------|-------|---|-------------------------|------|------|----|
| 27 Sunday | 300 | Sabina     | 8 26  | 12 14 | ☽ | ☽ south 6:20            | 16 6 | 45 5 | 15 |
| 28 Mond'y | 301 | Sim. Jude  | 9 5   | 1 20  | ☽ | ☽ in Apogee, ☽ ☽ ☽      | 16 6 | 46 5 | 14 |
| 29 Tues.  | 302 | Zwinglius  | 9 40  | 2 30  | ☽ | ☽ Arietis south 12:26 ☽ | 16 6 | 47 5 | 13 |
| 30 Wed.   | 303 | Serapion   | 10 15 | 3 40  | ☽ | ☽ Markab south 8:40     | 16 6 | 48 5 | 12 |
| 31 Thurs. | 304 | Hallow Eve | 10 54 | 4 26  | ☽ | ☽ ☽ ☽                   | 16 6 | 50 5 | 10 |

## Moon's Phases.

Full Moon, 3d, at 5 o'clock, evening.

Last Quarter, 11th, 8 o'clock, morning.

New Moon, 18th, 12 o'clock, morning.

First Quarter, 25th, 5 o'clock, evening.

## Conjectures of the Weather.

The 1st, warm; 2d, pleasant day; 3d, unsettled; 4th, warmer; 5th, clouds; 6th, change; 7th, cooler; 8th, unsettled; 9th, thunder; 10th, foggy; 11th, clouds; 12th, showers; 13th, frosty; 14th, warmer; 15th, windy; 16th, cloudy; 17th, rain; 18th, showers; 19th, windy; 20th, damp, wet; 21st, blustery, 22d, cold, clearing; 23d, moderating; 24th, thunder; 25th, drizzling; 26th, damp day; 27th, clearing; 28th, cool; 29th, wintry, squally; 30th, high winds; 31st unsettled.

Mars (♂) is in conjunction with the sun on the 11th, and can not be seen.

I have sometimes thought that temptation is to our soul's health what vaccination is to our body's health, a process by which we are prepared for the victory over far worse attacks of far worse diseases.—Hannah Whitall Smith.



Miss Lena Zurfluh.

MISS LENA ZURFLUH was born and received her early education in Toledo, Ohio. She is a member of the German Church and was recognized as an earnest and consecrated Christian. She took a scientific course in Heidelberg University, graduating in June, 1893. From that time she was preparing for her life work in Japan, and was commissioned by the Foreign Board July 10, at Tiffin, Ohio, where the farewell service was held. She left in September and reached the work in Japan early in October. She will be engaged in the work connected with the Girls' School for which position she is well qualified and adapted. Her many friends followed her with their prayers and wish her a successful work in Japan.

On an October day, 1531, there was a horse stamping impatiently before the parsonage at Zurich waiting for Zwingli to mount. Zwingli was giving his last sad good-bye to his weeping wife and family, for the Romish army of the five cantons suddenly threatened Zurich and he was ordered to go to the battle as chaplain. He mounted the impatient horse and rode with the little army to Cappel. There during the battle

he ministered to the soldiers. He was stooping to console a dying man when he was struck by a stone thrown by the enemy and fell. He rose up only to be struck again, until finally the enemy thrust a lance into his body and sent him reeling to earth. "What evil is it," he exclaimed, "they may kill the body but they can not kill the soul." These were his last words. Under a pear tree he lay with his hands clasped and his eyes upturned to heaven. Some of the hostile soldiers asked him, "Will you confess, shall we send for a priest?" With a shake of the head he said "No." Then one of them recognized him and struck him in the throat with a sword, saying, "Die, obstinate heretic." His body was quartered and burned. Its ashes, mixed with the ashes of a pig, were scattered to the four winds of heaven. So died Zwingli October 11, 1531, a martyr to his faith, the first of the great reformers to seal his faith with his blood.

### October.

October has been first to thee,  
The month of Nature's hectic flush.  
A scarlet flame on vine and tree,  
And on the sunset sky a blush.  
Winds softly breathe of perfect days,  
And cloudless skies smile overhead;  
The flowers linger for our praise,  
And all the world's in beauty spread.  
  
We need not dream of winter's cold;  
Why should we fear the northern blast?  
The wreath of glory that we hold  
Will bless us till the winter's past.  
Accept this omen of thy birth.  
Hoard up thy bright and growing life;  
Keep for the frost-touched hours thy mirth,  
The strength of sunshine for thy strife.  
  
This is the harvest month, and full  
Of present work and future plan;  
Now tree and field are beautiful  
With Nature's wealth for beast and man.  
So mayest thou tithes of blessing bring,  
Thy grateful heart in offering lay;  
For spring is time of blossoming,  
We gather ripened fruit today!

The most important fact ever made known on this earth is that God loves us.

The man who never smiles is a walking protest against the goodness of God.

11th Month.

NOVEMBER, 1895.

30 Days.

| DAYS OF<br>month, week, year, etc.                                    |     |            | MOON<br>SOUTH<br>h. m. h. m. | MOON<br>R. & S.<br>h. m. h. m. | MOON<br>SIGN | Aspects of Planets<br>and Miscellany. | SUN<br>FAST.<br>h. m. | SUN<br>RISES<br>h. m. | SUN<br>SETS<br>h. m. |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 1 Friday                                                              | 305 | All saints | 11 54                        | 4 59                           |              | ☽ in Perihelion                       | 16 6 51 5 9           |                       |                      |
| 2 Sat.                                                                | 306 | All souls  | morn                         | ☽ ris                          |              | 2. 6 ♀ ☽                              | 16 6 52 5 8           |                       |                      |
| <b>44] 21st Sunday after Trinity.</b> John 4. Day's length 10h. 16m.  |     |            |                              |                                |              |                                       |                       |                       |                      |
| 3 Sunday                                                              | 307 | Theophilus | 12 14                        | 5 34                           |              | ☽ stationary                          | 16 6 53 5 7           |                       |                      |
| 4 Mond'y                                                              | 308 | Charlotte  | 12 54                        | 6 14                           |              | Regulus rises 12:46                   | 16 6 54 5 6           |                       |                      |
| 5 Tues.                                                               | 309 | Malachi    | 1 39                         | 7 9                            |              | 6 ♀ ☽                                 | 16 6 55 5 5           |                       |                      |
| 6 Wed.                                                                | 310 | Leonard    | 2 36                         | 8 18                           |              | Markab south 7:53                     | 16 6 56 5 4           |                       |                      |
| 7 Thurs.                                                              | 311 | Engelbert  | 3 35                         | 9 28                           |              | ♀ in ♀                                | 16 6 58 5 2           |                       |                      |
| 8 Friday                                                              | 312 | Cecilia    | 4 33                         | 10 39                          |              | ☽ ♀ rises 11:25                       | 16 6 59 5 1           |                       |                      |
| 9 Sat.                                                                | 313 | Theodore   | 5 29                         | 11 50                          |              | 9. 6 ♀ ☽                              | 16 7 0 5 0            |                       |                      |
| <b>45] 22d Sunday after Trinity.</b> Matt. 18. Day's length 10h. 16m. |     |            |                              |                                |              |                                       |                       |                       |                      |
| 10 Sunday                                                             | 314 | M. Luther  | 6 21                         | morn                           |              | ☽ Great. Elong. W.                    | 16 7 1 4 59           |                       |                      |
| 11 Mond'y                                                             | 315 | Martin B.  | 7 12                         | 12 56                          |              | Orion rises 8:16                      | 15 7 2 4 58           |                       |                      |
| 12 Tues.                                                              | 316 | Jonas      | 8 30                         | 2 8                            |              | ☽ Great. Hel. Lat. N. ☿               | 15 7 3 4 57           |                       |                      |
| 13 Wed.                                                               | 317 | Winebert   | 9 40                         | 3 24                           |              | ☽ in Perigee, 6 ♀ ☽                   | 15 7 4 4 56           |                       |                      |
| 14 Thurs.                                                             | 318 | Levin      | 10 39                        | 4 30                           |              | ♀ rises 3:37                          | 15 7 5 4 55           |                       |                      |
| 15 Friday                                                             | 319 | Leopold    | 11 31                        | 5 47                           |              | 6 ♀ ☽, 6 ♀ ☽, 6 ♀ ☽                   | 15 7 6 4 54           |                       |                      |
| 16 Sat.                                                               | 320 | Ottomar    | 12 14                        | ☽ set                          |              | 16. 6 ♀ ☽, 6 ♀ ☽, 6 ♀ ☽               | 15 7 7 4 53           |                       |                      |
| <b>46] 23d Sunday after Trinity.</b> Matt. 22. Day's length 9h. 46m.  |     |            |                              |                                |              |                                       |                       |                       |                      |
| 17 Sunday                                                             | 321 | Alpheus    | 12 50                        | 5 20                           |              | Fomalhart south 9:52                  | 15 7 8 4 52           |                       |                      |
| 18 Mond'y                                                             | 322 | Gelasius   | 1 24                         | 6 26                           |              | ☽ south 4:59                          | 15 7 9 4 51           |                       |                      |
| 19 Tues.                                                              | 323 | Elizabeth  | 2 23                         | 7 53                           |              | Algol south 11:6                      | 14 7 10 4 50          |                       |                      |
| 20 Wed.                                                               | 324 | Amos       | 3 19                         | 8 52                           |              | 6 ♀ ☽, 6 ♀ ☽ south 10:53              | 14 7 10 4 50          |                       |                      |
| 21 Thurs.                                                             | 325 | O. V. Mary | 4 10                         | 9 57                           |              | Arcturus sets 7:40                    | 14 7 11 4 49          |                       |                      |
| 22 Friday                                                             | 326 | Alphonsus  | 4 58                         | 10 49                          |              | ○ enters ☽                            | 14 7 12 4 48          |                       |                      |
| 23 Sat.                                                               | 327 | Clement    | 5 41                         | 11 30                          |              | 6 ♀ ☽, 7 ☽ south 11:50                | 13 7 13 4 47          |                       |                      |
| <b>47] 24th Sunday after Trinity.</b> Matt. 9. Day's length 9h. 34m.  |     |            |                              |                                |              |                                       |                       |                       |                      |
| 24 Sunday                                                             | 328 | Chrisogen. | 6 22                         | morn                           |              | 24. Rigel rises 7:34                  | 13 7 14 4 46          |                       |                      |
| 25 Mond'y                                                             | 329 | Catharine  | 7 2                          | 12 11                          |              | ☽ in Apogee ☽                         | 13 7 15 4 45          |                       |                      |
| 26 Tues.                                                              | 330 | Conrad     | 7 41                         | 1 11                           |              | 6 ♀ ☽                                 | 12 7 15 4 45          |                       |                      |
| 27 Wed.                                                               | 331 | Jehosaph't | 8 20                         | 2 12                           |              | Sirius rises 9:22                     | 12 7 16 4 44          |                       |                      |
| 28 Thurs.                                                             | 332 | Guntherus  | 9 2                          | 3 14                           |              | 6 ♀ ☽ south 10:17                     | 12 7 17 4 43          |                       |                      |
| 29 Friday                                                             | 333 | Saturn     | 9 47                         | 4 18                           |              | 6 ♀ ☽                                 | 11 7 18 4 42          |                       |                      |
| 30 Sat.                                                               | 334 | St. Andrew | 10 36                        | 5 20                           |              | Arietas south 9:32                    | 11 7 19 4 41          |                       |                      |

## Moon's Phases.

Full Moon, 2d, at 9 o'clock, morning.

Last Quarter, 9th, 5 o'clock, evening.

New Moon, 16th, 11 o'clock, morning.

First Quarter, 24th, 1 o'clock, morning.

## Conjectures of the Weather.

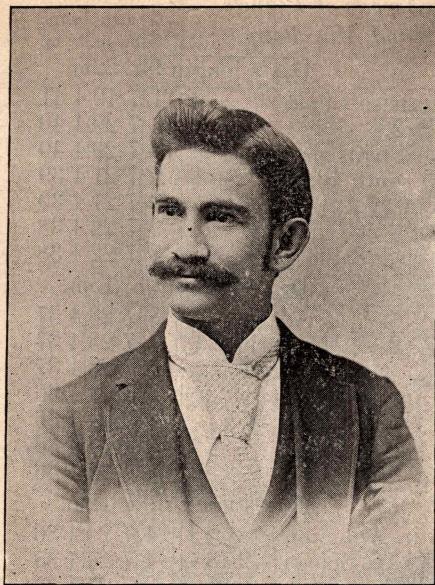
The 1st, windy; 2d, clear; 3d, frosty; 4th, change; 5th, cool; 6th, cloudy; 7th, clearing; 8th, blustery; 9th, unsettled; 10th, thunder; 11th, windy, cold; 12th, rough day; 13th, change; 14th, cloudy; 15th, showery; 16th, blustery; 17th, change; 18th, moderate; 19th, changeable; 20th, cloudy, snow; 21st, blustery; 22d, rough day; 23d, windy; 24th, change; 25th, unsettled; 26th, colder; 27th, rain or snow; 28th, cold, squally; 29th, windy; 30th, blustery.

Saturn (♄) is in conjunction with the sun on the 2d, and can not be seen.

People do not go to heaven because they work for God, but because they love him.

Many lives contain whole chapters of goodness, not a word of which is ever put on a tombstone.

We can never know God's thoughts about us until we are willing to give up those the Devil gives us about Him.



Rev. S. S. Snyder, Missionary.

THE whole church has a peculiar interest in our last missionary and his estimable wife, because they are sent out under the auspices of the C. E. Societies in our church. This alone calls forth a deeper interest in them possibly than any of the others who have gone out, yet no distinction is made in any other way. The hearty prayers of the whole church have gone with all our devoted, godly, and zealous missionaries.

Mr. Snyder's home was in Columbiana, O., and his pastor Rev. J. H. Bomberger, who has looked forward to the departure of Bro. Snyder with deep interest, because it is one of his flock who is honored as C. E. missionary.

The farewell services of Mr. and Mrs. Snyder were held at Canton, Ohio, Sept. 5, and were largely attended, and were full of the missionary spirit. In this service he was both ordained to the gospel ministry and also commissioned to his work in Japan. On the 7th of September they left home and friends, and sailed on the 17th for Japan. They go out with the earnest prayers of the Endeavor host and the united prayers of the church for their success in the blessed work of preaching the gospel to Japanese.

### Thanksgiving.

To the Giver of all blessings  
 Let our voices rise in praise,  
 For the joys and countless mercies  
 He hath sent to crown our days;  
 For the homes of peace and plenty,  
 And a land so fair and wide,  
 For the labor of the noon-day,  
 And the rest of even-tide;  
 For the splendor of the forest,  
 For the beauty of the hills,  
 For the freshness of the meadows,  
 And a thousand sparkling rills.  
 For the blossoms of the spring-time  
 And the memories they bring,  
 For the ripened fruits of autumn,  
 Do we thank Thee, O our King.

For the wealth of golden harvests,  
 For the sunlight and the rain,  
 For the grandeur of the ocean,  
 For the mountains and the plain;  
 For the ever-changing seasons  
 And the comforts which they bring,  
 For Thy love, so grand, eternal,  
 We would thank Thee, O our King.

—*The Home.*

No man can enjoy peace and be indifferent as to what may be God's will concerning him.



MRS. REV. S. S. SNYDER.

12th Month.

DECEMBER, 1895.

31 Days.

| DAYS OF<br>month, week, year, etc. |     |             | MOON<br>SOUTH | MOON<br>R. & S. | MOON<br>h. m. h. m. | Aspects of Planets<br>and Miscellany. | SUN<br>FAST. | SUN<br>RISES. | SUN<br>SETS.<br>h. m. h. m. |
|------------------------------------|-----|-------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>48] 1st Sunday in Advent.</b>   |     |             | Matt. 21.     |                 |                     | Day's length 9h. 22m.                 |              |               |                             |
| 1 Sunday                           | 335 | Longinus    | 11 30         | 6 24            |                     | Altair sets 9:34                      |              | 11 7 19       | 4 41                        |
| 2 Mond'y                           | 336 | Candidus    | morn          |                 |                     | 2. ♂ ♀ ☽                              |              | 10 7 20       | 4 40                        |
| 3 Tues.                            | 337 | Cassianus   | 12 28         | 5 41            |                     | Sirius rises 8:58                     |              | 10 7 20       | 4 40                        |
| 4 Wed.                             | 338 | Barbara     | 1 27          | 6 57            |                     | 7 ☽ south 10:56                       |              | 9 7 21        | 4 39                        |
| 5 Thurs.                           | 339 | Abigail     | 2 27          | 7 47            |                     | ♀ in ☽                                |              | 9 7 21        | 4 39                        |
| 6 Friday                           | 340 | St. Nich.   | 3 24          | 8 29            |                     | ♂ ♀ ☽                                 |              | 9 7 22        | 4 38                        |
| 7 Sat.                             | 341 | Agathon     | 4 18          | 9 36            |                     | ♀ ☽ rises 8:40                        |              | 8 7 22        | 4 38                        |
| <b>49] 2d Sunday in Advent.</b>    |     |             | Luke 21.      |                 |                     | Day's length 9h. 16m.                 |              |               |                             |
| 8 Sunday                           | 342 | Con. V. M.  | 5 9           | 10 28           |                     | 8 ♀ ☽                                 |              | 8 7 23        | 4 37                        |
| 9 Mond'y                           | 343 | Joachim     | 5 57          | morn            |                     | 9. ☽ in Perigee ☽                     |              | 7 7 23        | 4 37                        |
| 10 Tues.                           | 344 | Judith      | 6 45          | 12 14           |                     | ♂ south 10:31                         |              | 7 7 23        | 4 37                        |
| 11 Wed.                            | 345 | Barsabas    | 7 33          | 1 28            |                     | ♀ in Perihelion                       |              | 6 7 24        | 4 36                        |
| 12 Thurs.                          | 346 | Otilia      | 8 23          | 2 40            |                     | ♂ ♀ ☽, ♀ rises 3:58                   |              | 6 7 24        | 4 36                        |
| 13 Friday                          | 347 | Lucian      | 9 15          | 3 58            |                     | ♂ ☽, ♂ ☽                              |              | 5 7 24        | 4 36                        |
| 14 Sat.                            | 348 | Nicassius   | 10 11         | 5 0             |                     | ♂ ☽, ♂ ☽, ♂ in ☽                      |              | 5 7 24        | 4 36                        |
| <b>50] 3d Sunday in Advent.</b>    |     |             | Matt. 21.     |                 |                     | Day's length 9h. 12m.                 |              |               |                             |
| 15 Sunday                          | 349 | Ignatius    | 11 9          | 6 10            |                     | ♀ in Aphelion ♂ ☽                     |              | 4 7 24        | 4 36                        |
| 16 Mond'y                          | 350 | Ananias     | 12 8          |                 |                     | 16. Spica ris. 2:18 ☽                 |              | 4 7 25        | 4 35                        |
| 17 Tues.                           | 351 | Lazarus     | 1 5           | 5 17            |                     | Achernar s. 7:46                      |              | 3 7 25        | 4 35                        |
| 18 Wed.                            | 352 | Emberday    | 1 59          | 6 18            |                     | Sirius south 12:53                    |              | 3 7 25        | 4 35                        |
| 19 Thurs.                          | 353 | Abraham     | 2 49          | 7 20            |                     | Algol south 8:50                      |              | 2 7 25        | 4 35                        |
| 20 Friday                          | 354 | Ammon       | 3 55          | 8 24            |                     | ♂ ♀ ☽, Superior                       |              | 2 7 25        | 4 35                        |
| 21 Sat.                            | 355 | St. Thomas  | 4 17          | 9 20            |                     | ○ ent ☽ Winter beg., shortest d.      |              | 1 7 26        | 4 34                        |
| <b>51] 4th Sunday in Advent.</b>   |     |             | John 1.       |                 |                     | Day's length 9h. 08m.                 |              |               |                             |
| 22 Sunday                          | 356 | Beata       | 4 57          | 10 18           |                     | ♂ ♀ ☽                                 |              | 1 7 25        | 4 35                        |
| 23 Mond'y                          | 357 | Dagobert    | 5 36          | 11 16           |                     | 23. ☽ in Apogee ☽                     |              | 7 25          | 4 35                        |
| 24 Tues.                           | 358 | Adam, Eve   | 6 15          | morn            |                     | ♂ ☽ south 8:45                        |              | 7 25          | 4 35                        |
| 25 Wed.                            | 359 | Christmas   | 6 55          | 12 8            |                     | 7 ☽ south 9:48                        |              | 1 7 25        | 4 35                        |
| 26 Thurs.                          | 360 | Stephen     | 7 39          | 1 20            |                     | ♀ south 2:24                          |              | 1 7 25        | 4 35                        |
| 27 Friday                          | 361 | John Ev.    | 8 25          | 2 31            |                     | Arietas south 7:34                    |              | 2 7 25        | 4 35                        |
| 28 Sat.                            | 362 | Innocents   | 9 17          | 3 57            |                     | ♂ ♀ ☽                                 |              | 2 7 24        | 4 36                        |
| <b>52] Sunday after Christmas.</b> |     |             | Luke 2.       |                 |                     | Day's length 9h. 12m.                 |              |               |                             |
| 29 Sunday                          | 363 | Noah        | 10 13         | 5 5             |                     | Aldebaran south 9:54                  |              | 3 7 24        | 4 36                        |
| 30 Mond'y                          | 364 | N. Coperi's | 11 13         | 6 10            |                     | Sirius rises 8:4                      |              | 3 7 24        | 4 36                        |
| 31 Tues.                           | 365 | Sylvester   | morn          |                 |                     | 31. ♂ south 10:11                     |              | 4 7 24        | 4 36                        |

**Moon's Phases.**

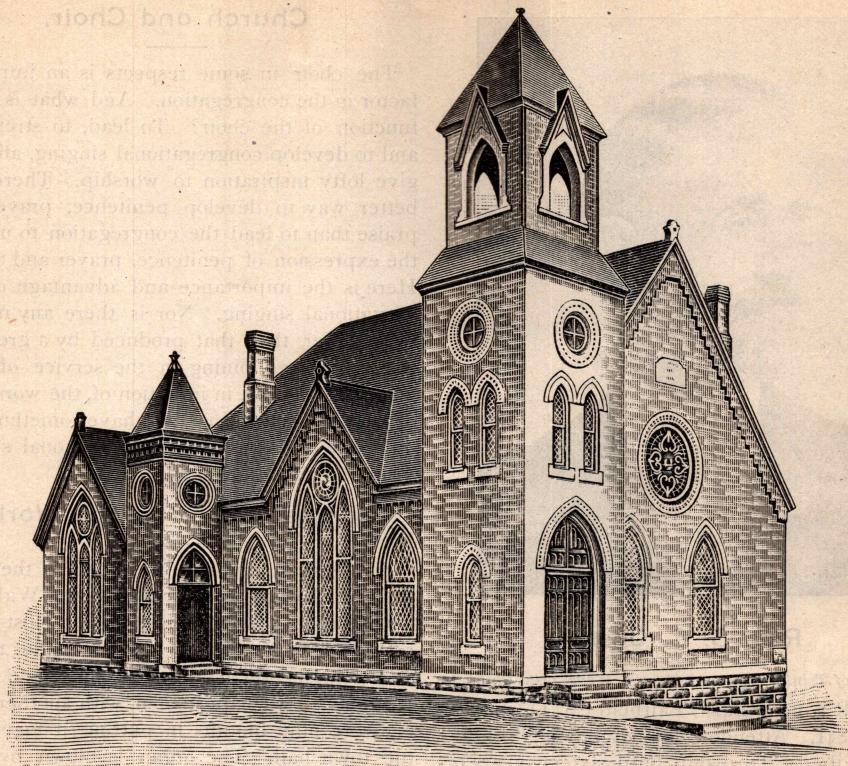
Full Moon, 2d, at 1 o'clock, morning.  
Last Quarter, 9th, 1 o'clock, morning.  
New Moon, 16th, 12 o'clock, morning.  
First Quarter, 23d, 11 o'clock, evening.  
Full Moon, 31st, at 2 o'clock, evening.

**Conjectures of the Weather.**

The 1st, cold; 2d, clouding; 3d, snow; 4th, stormy; 5th, gloomy; 6th, cloudy; 7th, clearing; 8th, fine day; 9th, change; 10th, damp; 11th, soft, damp; 12th, moderate; 13th, colder; 14th, rainy day; 15th, showery; 16th, colder, rough; 17th, wintery; 18th, threatening; 19th, overcast; 20th, cloudy, cold; 21st, dismal; 22d, gloomy day; 23d, raw, cold winds; 24th, moderating; 25th, clouds; 26th, disagreeable; 27th, clearing; 28th, cloudy, rain; 29th, colder; 30th, clear, brilliant; 31st, clouding.

The kind of religion that always makes a bad man ashamed of himself is the kind that does its own talking.

For a wife to get religion so that she doesn't slam the door any more, will hit her husband harder than a dozen sermons.



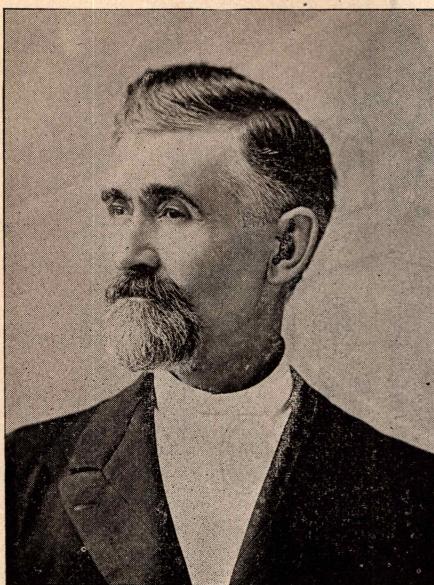
**St. John's Reformed Church, Harrold's Charge, I. N. Burger, Pastor.**

THE congregation bearing the above name as early as 1783 formed a part of the charge served by Rev. John W. Weber, one of the pioneer ministers of the Reformed Church. With the Brush Creek congregation it divides the honor of being the oldest organization in Western Pennsylvania. Records dating back as far as August 2, 1772, are still to be seen. The first church was a log structure with one door, a puncheon floor and hewn logs for seats. On May 28, 1829, the cornerstone for a new church was laid, and in 1830 a commodious stone building was dedicated. After worshiping in this church for more than threescore years, it was agreed to build the present neat and comfortable edifice. The cornerstone was laid July 16, 1892, and on May 21, 1893, the dedicatory services were held. The total cost was \$8,500.

The congregation has had but six pastors since its organization in 1783. Rev. John Wm.

Weber served thirty-three years, Rev. Henry Habliston, three years; Rev. N. P. Hacke, D. D., fifty-eight years; Rev. C. R. Deiffenbacher, D. D., eleven years; Rev. M. H. Mell, one year, and the present pastor, I. N. Burger, since September, 1891. The present officers are: Elders, P. S. Baer and Lewis Baum; Deacons, E. H. Goodlin and Grant Wentzel. Membership, one hundred and forty.

When you are come to the other side of the river, and have set down your foot on the shore of glorious eternity, and look back again to the waters, and to your wearisome journey—and shall see, in that clear glass of endless glory, nearer to the bottom of God's wisdom—you shall then be forced to say, "If God had done otherwise with me than He hath done, I had never come to the enjoying of the crown of glory."



Rev. S. C. Goss.

*Pastor of Trinity Reformed Church, Wadsworth, Ohio.*

**B**ORN near Basil, Fairfield Co., O., July 9, 1841. Attended country school, "No. 6," Liberty Township until sixteen years of age. After a year in the Preparatory Department, graduated from Heidelberg College, in 1862. Enlisted in the 90th O. V. I. for three years, but was wounded in the Battle of Chickamauga, September 20, 1863, and, on that account, discharged April 18, 1864. Entered Heidelberg Theological Seminary in September following, and graduated after two years, being licensed by the Ohio Synod at Galion, in 1866.

In August of the same year he accepted a call to the charge, two congregations of which—Wadsworth and Mt. Zwingli—he is now serving; the former, uninterruptedly for twenty-eight years. The charge now numbers 345 members, instead of, (the same churches), 59 in 1866, and is one of the foremost charges in Northern Ohio, and not the least in the synod.

Hurry and worry are both great enemies to health.

The only possessions that really belong to us are those we hold in trust for God.

### Church and Choir.

The choir in some respects is an important factor in the congregation. And what is prime function of the choir? To lead, to strengthen and to develop congregational singing, and thus give lofty inspiration to worship. There is no better way to develop penitence, prayer and praise than to lead the congregation to unite in the expression of penitence, prayer and praise. Here is the importance and advantage of congregational singing. Nor is there any musical effect finer than that produced by a great volume of voices joining in the service of song. The ideal church, in imitation of the worshipers of heaven (Revelation), will have something of a quartette, a chorus and congregational singing.

### Largest Organ in the World.

The largest organ in the world is the one in the town hall in Sydney, New South Wales. It took three years to build it and cost 15,000 pounds or \$72,600.00. It is 80 feet wide, 26 deep and 55 high. It contains 7,686 pipes and weighs 100 tons. Two expert men, with another laborer, were nine months in putting it together in the town hall. The organ is blown by a gas engine of fifteen horse power.

No one can choose his duties. He may accept or reject those presented; there is no third course. He may shut his eyes and try to persuade himself that some things more pleasant, and not these painful, difficult things, are what is required of him. But it will be of no use. They will remain duties just the same. If they come to him in the order of God's will, his only hope of peace and true prosperity lies in manfully performing them. He will not escape, by fleeing, the pain or the trouble from which he shrinks. That is inevitable to every one who lives. But he may very easily escape the consolation, the high support, the glorious thrill of joy, which come only to him who stands manfully in the place allotted him and holds till death the post to which he was assigned.

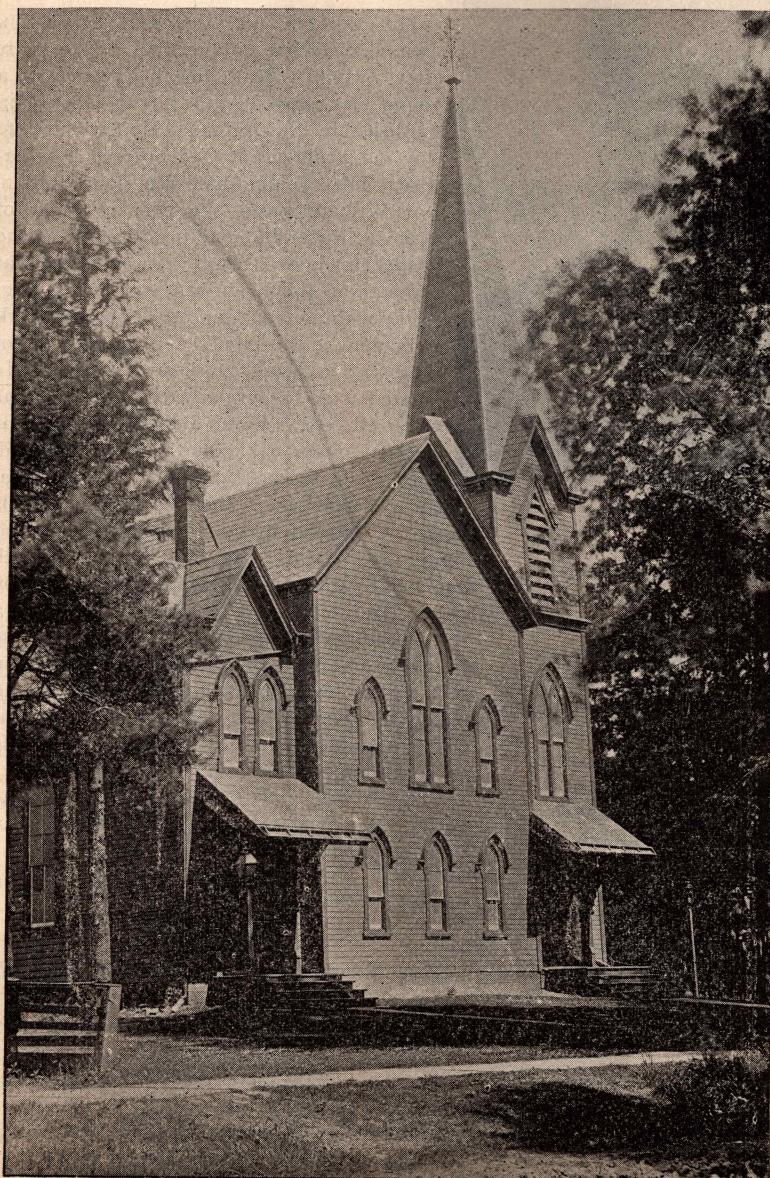
Be honest, temperate and industrious and your success is assured.

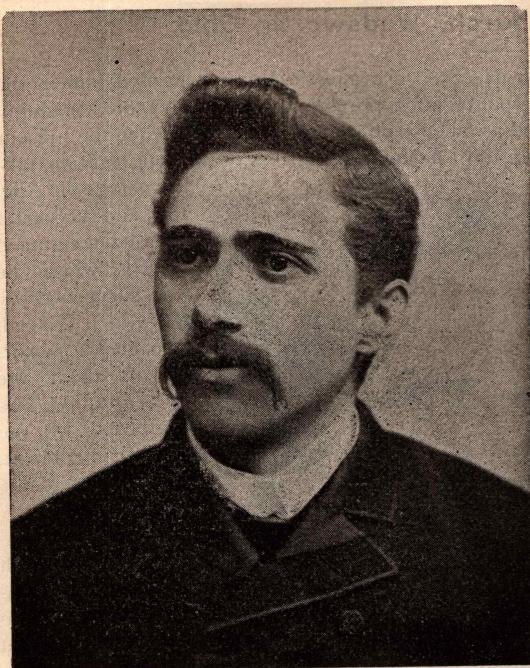
**Trinity Reformed Church, Wadsworth, Ohio.**

Organized by Rev. Jesse Schlosser, October 24, 1858. Rev. Jesse Hines succeeded him in the pastorate, June 1860. The following year, the congregation purchased the old octagonal academy building, which was neatly fitted up and served as a house of worship until 1873, when the present building was erected. Rev. D. H. Reiter was the third pastor in the history of the congregation, taking charge in Aug. 1863, and serving for a period of eighteen months, where he was succeeded by Rev. J. J. Excell, who, after a pastorate of about the same duration, was succeeded by the present incumbent, Rev. S. C. Goss, August, 1866.

At its organization, the church numbered six members; at the beginning of the present pastorate, forty-three; and at present, after many losses, by death, removal, etc., its confirmed membership numbers 265.

Connected with the organization, is a Ladies' Aid Society, an active Y. P. S. C. E., numbering about forty members, a Missionary Association of the Young People's Society, and a Ladies Missionary Society, organized during the past year. The congregation deservedly occupies a prominent place among the churches of the community, and the charges of the Ohio Synod.





Rev. S. U. Snyder.

*Pastor Fourth Reformed Church, Dayton, Ohio.*

**R**EV. S. U. Snyder was born near Akron, Ohio, July 23, 1859. He is the second son of Elder George Snyder, and nephew of Rev. Wm. Kepler, Ph. D., formerly President of Baldwin University, Berea, O., and brother to Rev. George Snyder, Hagerstown, Md. Graduated at Heidelberg University in the spring of 1883 with the degree of B. A. Graduated in the Heidelberg Theological Seminary in spring of 1885. Received a call to Grace Church, Phila., Pa., as early as February, 1885, and began his pastorate in the Quaker City the following June. He served in his first charge seven years, during which time the membership increased from sixty-nine to two hundred and twenty-five. He passed through the laborious work of building a church, having erected one of large dimensions.

He received a call to the Fourth Reformed Church, Dayton, Ohio, August 7, 1892, and began his pastorate on the 26th instant. During his occupancy the membership has increased

from seventy-six to nearly two hundred. The Fourth Reformed Church was organized in March, 1892, and has made commendable progress. She has been self-supporting from the beginning, and has not asked for any assistance from the Mission Board.

The workers die, the work goes on. Zwingli died but Calvin lives. Five years after Zwingli's death, in the year 1536, a young man arrived in the city of Geneva in southeastern Switzerland. He expected to stay but a night, but God ordered it otherwise. That young man was John Calvin. For William Farel, the fiery reformer of French Switzerland, had been preaching the gospel in Geneva. And when he heard that Calvin was there, he went to him saying, "Stay with me and help me. There is work to be done in this city." But Calvin was not ready. He gave various excuses. He wanted to go to Germany to study. He was not well, etc. Farel finally finding that neither prayer nor exhortation could avail, turned to threats, and reminded him of Jonah's disobedience and its results. This caused Calvin to shake like an oak bending before the storm. At that moment Farel, impelled by the Spirit of God, fixing his eyes on Calvin, laid his hands on his head, and in a voice of thunder exclaimed, "May God curse your repose. May God curse your studies if in such a great necessity as ours you withdraw and refuse to give us help and support. At this Calvin trembled like a leaf in every limb. He asked for a night to consider. He yielded, gave up his studies, and remained at Geneva to become the great reformer of that city and of the Reformed Church.

### Three Things.

Three things to fight for—Honor, country and home.

Three things to love—Courage, gentleness and affection.

Three things to think about—Life, death and eternity.

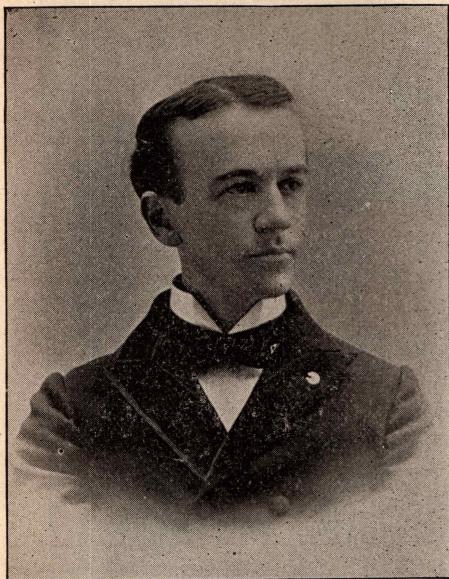
Three things to govern—Temper, tongue and conduct.



Fourth Reformed Church, Dayton, Ohio.

**A** MEMORABLE day for the Reformed Church was the 18th of December, 1613. On that day the Elector of Brandenburg called together the Lutheran ministers at Berlin in the famous White Saloon of his palace where he announced to them that he expected to go over to the Reformed Church. The conversion of so great a prince to the Reformed faith caused a great sensation. On the following Christmas day he publicly joined the Reformed Church by celebrating the Lord's Supper in his cathedral after the Reformed fashion, that is, by using bread instead of wafers, which was administered by the Reformed court preacher, Scultetus. His change of faith caused great anxiety among his subjects who were all Lutherans. He, however, issued a decree granting

religious liberty and allowing the Lutherans to have their own worship, although he was Reformed. He has thus the honor of publishing religious freedom six years before the pilgrims landed in New England. Before Easter 1615, he ordered that his Reformed Cathedral be cleansed of all pictures, altars, crucifixes and fonts which were looked upon by the Reformed as relics of Romanism. His conversion was very important to the Reformed. It gave them one of the most prominent princes in Germany. It gave them a line of princes who were ever the protectors of the Reformed in their persecutions. It gave them the prince whose descendants today as Emperors of Germany are the most powerful Protestant rulers in Europe.



J. H. Bomberger, A. M.

BORN, Philadelphia, Pa., October 16th, 1858, the youngest child of Rev. J. H. A. Bomberger, D. D., by his first marriage. Took a full classical course in Ursinus College, and graduated from Ursinus Theological School in 1879. Acted as tutor in Greek and other branches for one year. Accepted a call to Columbiana, O. In the fall of 1880, resigned to spend a year of post-graduate study in Florida, in 1884. (Married Miss Pauline M. Icenhour in 1883.) Accepted a second call to Columbiana in the spring of 1886.

The present pastoral relation began October 1st, 1880; although the pastor was there a month earlier, as he finished the last month of his predecessor's term for him, Rev. H. T. Spangler leaving September 1st, 1880.

An interim of eighteen months occurred from October 1, 1884, to April 1, 1886, during part of which time the late Rev. J. V. Lerch was pastor, resigning the position to accept the chaplaincy of the Dayton Soldiers' Home. The present pastorate began April 1st, 1886, and has continued since, with an interim in consequence of sickness, during which time Rev. Parley E.

Zartman acted as stated supply for five months. During this time the pastor has conducted some 3,000 services, preaching about 1,500 sermons, officiated at 140 funerals and 87 marriages. He has extended the hand of fellowship to 345 new members; 45 of whom have been given letters of dismission; 6 have died, and 11 have dropped from the roll. 283 of this number are still members of the church.

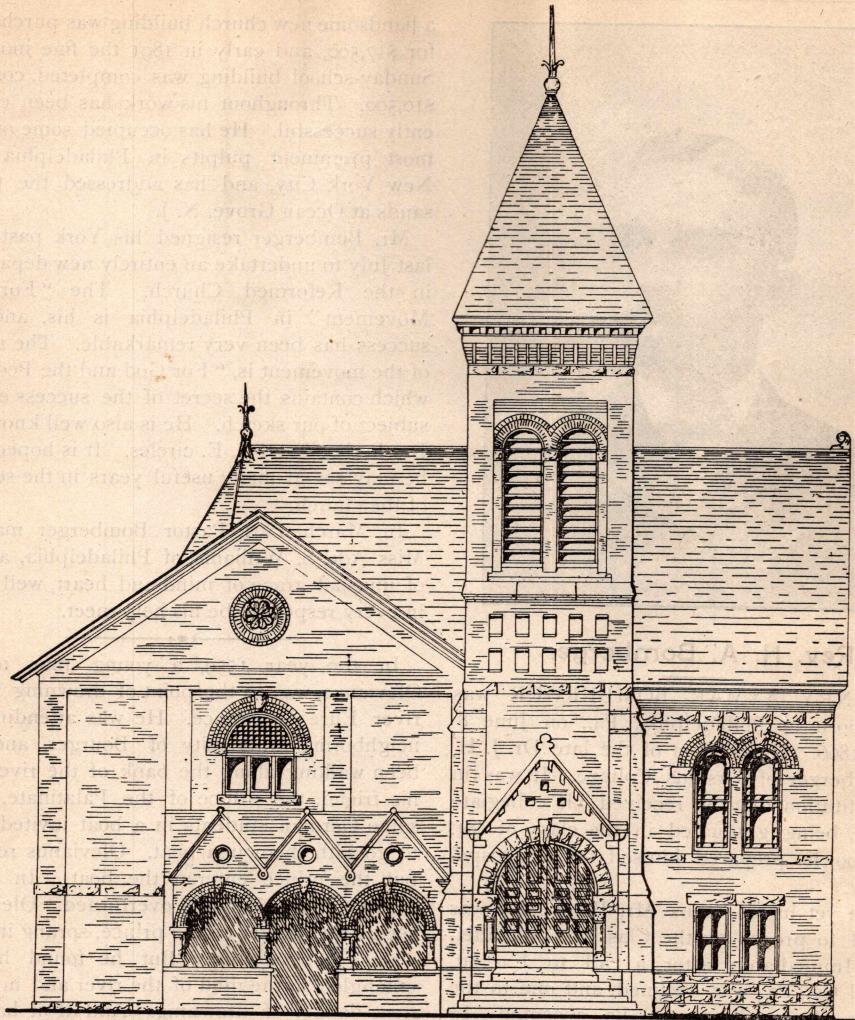
About four thousand pastoral visits have been made. Whatever has been accomplished for good has been the result of God's blessing upon the cordial co-operation of people and pastor. At no time during the period of our mutual labors has this spirit of co-operation and readiness for the Master's service been so signally present as now, and at no time have we been so thoroughly united as a congregation in heart and work. Shall we not earnestly cherish this spirit of fraternal sympathy by fervent prayer and mutual forbearance, striving constantly to strengthen

"the tie that binds  
Our hearts in Christian love?"

Organized the first Christian Endeavor Society in the Reformed Church in Columbiana, November 19, 1882. Planned and pushed the Christian Endeavor Japan Mission Fund, Chairman of Committee of Arrangements of Cleveland Rally, etc. Author of "Christian Endeavor Plans and Principles." President for some time of Columbiana County Christian Endeavor Convention. Conductor of Christian Endeavor Department in *Christian World*.

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A saint is a believer in Christ, who is a partaker of his spirit, maintains a close walk, and keeps up communion and fellowship with the Lord; lives in the fear of Him and in good conscience toward Him. He is chosen out of the world, and separate from it: though in it, he is not of it. He is warmly attached to the Lord's cause, is diligent in the means of his appointment, orders his steps by God's Word, and follows his Lord in the regeneration. Such souls the Lord hath sanctified, and such souls will ever sanctify Him.

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The habit of always being employed is a great safeguard through life, as well as essential to the culture of every virtue.



## Grace Reformed Church, Columbian, O.

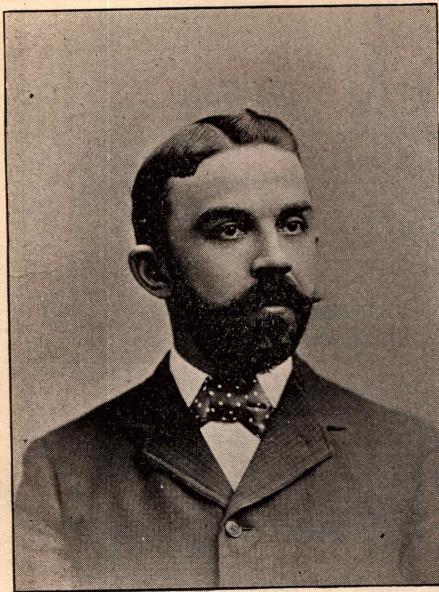
**Church Alteration Items.**—The plan is to enlarge and extensively alter the church building in the summer of 1895. It may be well to indicate briefly a few of the details of our proposed church alterations.

First of all, there will be an addition built to the south side of the church 30x45 feet. The ground floor of this annex will furnish us with a commodious prayer meeting room, so arranged

that it can be partitioned into two Bible class rooms.

On the second floor, this new part will be thrown into the main audience room. The pulpit will be placed on the north side, (instead of the east, as it now is.)

The present steeple will be taken down and a tower built at the southwest corner, in the angle formed by the present building and the annex.



Rev. H. A. Bomberger.

**H**ENRY AYMAR BOMBERGER was born in Philadelphia, Pa., on June 8, 1866. He is a son of the late Dr. J. H. A. Bomberger of Ursinus College. It was in that institution that he received his collegiate training, being graduated in the class of '84. Here, too, he prepared himself for the gospel ministry.

While yet in his 'teens Mr. Bomberger was licensed to preach by the Classis of Philadelphia. Immediately after a call to Everett, Bedford Co., Pa., was declined, and one to the Linicum Charge, Bucks Co., Pa., accepted. In this field this zealous young preacher labored with marked success for eighteen months, during which time he declined flattering calls to several prominent fields in the church.

On the first of May, 1888, he removed to York, Pa., undertaking the pastoral care of Heidelberg Church. While here he declined many invitations to other pulpits and a call to Grace Church, Tiffin, Ohio. His York pastorate continued six years and three months, ending August 1, 1894. During this time two hundred and sixteen were received into the church, and nearly \$25,000 raised for all purposes. In 1890

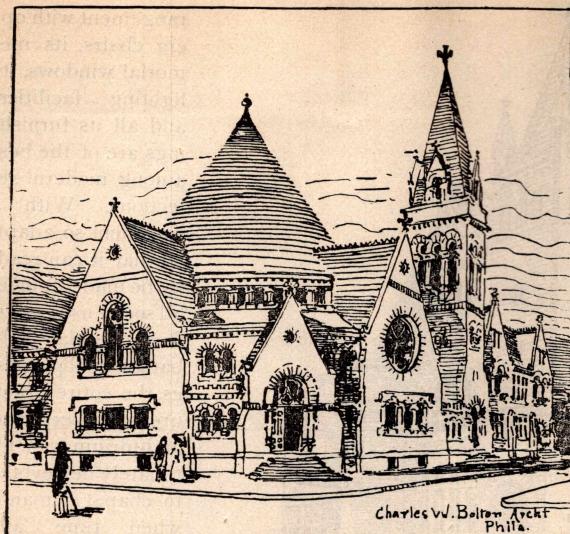
a handsome new church building was purchased for \$17,500, and early in 1891 the fine modern Sunday-school building was completed, costing \$10,500. Throughout his work has been eminently successful. He has occupied some of the most prominent pulpits in Philadelphia and New York City, and has addressed the thousands at Ocean Grove, N. J.

Mr. Bomberger resigned his York pastorate last July to undertake an entirely new departure in the Reformed Church. The "Forward Movement" in Philadelphia is his, and its success has been very remarkable. The motto of the movement is, "For God and the People," which contains the secret of the success of the subject of our sketch. He is also well known in Brotherhood and C. E. circles. It is hoped that he may spend many useful years in the service of the church.

In March, 1894, Pastor Bomberger married Miss Ada S. Williams, of Philadelphia, a lady of unusual grace of mind and heart, well fitted in every respect to be his help-meet.

In the year 1559, a young man named Olevianus, was on the point of drowning in the river Eure in France. He was attending the neighboring University of Bourges, and had been walking along the bank of the river with his friend, the prince of the Palatinate, when some German students in a boat invited them to go with them in a boat. Olevianus refused, but the prince entered the boat. In a few moments the boat was overturned. Olevianus seeing the danger of the prince, sprang into the water to save him. But he found himself entangled in the mud of the river and in imminent danger of drowning. And if it had not been for a servant of the prince who rushed into the water and saved Olevianus, supposing he was his prince, Olevianus would have been drowned. While hanging thus between time and eternity, he made a vow that if God would spare his life he would become a preacher of the gospel. This vow he kept. He entered the ministry and afterwards became one of the authors of the Heidelberg Catechism.

The right kind of reading will induce the right kind of thinking, and proper thinking will induce correct acting.



Heidelberg Reformed Church, York, Pa.

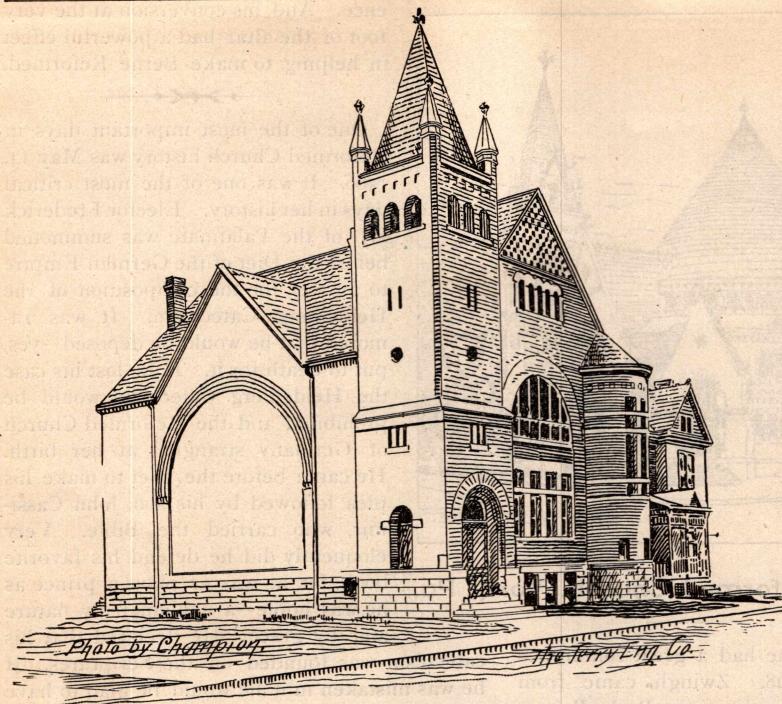
THE city of Berne had a great conference January 6, 1528. Zwingli came from Zurich, Ecolampadius from Basle, Buecer and Capito from Strassburg. Three hundred and fifty theologians and priests appeared. The conference spent twenty-two days in discussing theses against the mass, purgatory, celibacy and the worship of images. As there were so many clergymen present, an early service was held every day, at which a sermon was preached by one of the prominent visitors. Zwingli preached on the twelve articles of faith. As he was preaching on Sunday on the clause in the creed, "He ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty," he said, "This is in contradiction to the mass." As he thus preached suddenly a priest robed for the Romish service and ready to offer mass in one of the side chapels of the cathedral, stopped in his service. Zwingli's words caught his attention. He listened in astonishment to Zwingli's learning and eloquence. He was suddenly won by what he heard, and there before his altar he stripped off his priest's robes and threw them down, saying, "Unless the mass rests on a more solid foundation, I can celebrate it no longer." His act thrilled the whole audi-

ence. And his conversion at the very foot of the altar had a powerful effect in helping to make Berne Reformed.

One of the most important days in Reformed Church history was May 14, 1566. It was one of the most critical days in her history. Elector Frederick III. of the Palatinate was summoned before the Diet of the German Empire to answer for the composition of the Heidelberg Catechism. It was rumored that he would be deposed—yes, put to death for it. If he lost his case the Heidelberg Catechism would be prohibited and the Reformed Church of Germany strangled at her birth. He came before the Diet to make his plea followed by his son, John Cassimir, who carried the Bible. Very eloquently did he defend his favorite book, for he was as pious a prince as he was noble—a nobleman by nature and by grace. He declared that his catechism was founded on the Scriptures. If he was mistaken in it he would be glad to have it proved to him. He then declared himself ready to suffer for his catechism if it were necessary, as he felt assured that for whatever he would lose on earth for Christ's sake he would receive a hundredfold in the life to come. When he had closed his eloquent defense a silence as of death fell on the Diet. All felt the power of his words and the devoutness of his character. One of his brother princes, the Elector of Saxony, was so much moved that he touched Frederick on the shoulder, saying, "Fritz, you are better than all of us." The Margrave of Baden also remarked, "Why trouble ye this man. He is more pious than all of us." The result was that neither Frederick nor his Heidelberg Catechism was condemned by the Diet, but it was permitted to be used in Germany, and so the Reformed Church was recognized in Germany.

Three things to delight in—Frankness, freedom and beauty.

Three things to hate—Cruelty, arrogance and ingratitude.



Wilson Ave. Reformed Church, Columbus, O.

*Rev. S. W. Seemann, Pastor.*

**A**BOUT four years ago the General Synod's Board of Missions took the initiatory steps toward organizing a Reformed Church in Columbus, Ohio. The preliminary work was done by members of Lancaster Classis who gathered together the people from various charges and found an encouraging number who would enter this organization. The first services were held in the Odd Fellows' Temple and here the work made commendable progress. Rev. S. W. Seemann was appointed as the missionary and under his ministry and the zeal in the work a church home was found on Wilson Avenue in a most beautiful part of the city where a church will be the center of a large number of people. Though the efforts and liberality of the pastor and people a chapel as well as a parsonage now occupy part of their lot. The new edifice, while not imposing in either size or cost, is none the less convenient in its appointments, attractive in appearance and fashioned after present-day ideals of church construction. Its seating ar-

angement with opera chairs, its memorial windows, its lighting facilities, and all its furnishings are of the best among modern selections. With a basement so adapted that it can readily be made to meet all social uses, apart from regular Sabbath-school purposes, the entire structure in gallery and auditorium, can ultimately be devoted to chapel demands when time and means shall justify the enlargement of the present building on the unoccupied portion of the spacious lot. With

the closely adjoined parsonage—a gem by the way—and a church situated in a very promising suburb of the city, the first Reformed Church of Columbus can certainly expect great things in material prosperity and spiritual achievement. The dedication of this building took place, August 12, amid a large and interested audience.

The dedication services were attended, as is usual on such occasions, with every preparation for the fullest and devoutest expressions of joy and thanksgiving. The presence of Dr. G. W. Williard, of Lancaster, Pa.; Dr. W. A. Hale, of Dayton, Ohio, and of Rev. J. A. Seitz, of Stoutsburg, Ohio, gave abundant assurance of the most instructive exercises.

Oftentimes the hindrances that lie in the path of duty may be compared to the toll gates upon our turnpike roads—they are kept shut till we are just upon them, and then fly open, as it were, of themselves. And there is time enough. If they had been open a week before-hand, we could but have gone through at last.



Our Deaconess Home and Hospital in Cleveland, Ohio.

THE Deaconess Society of Cleveland was organized in July, 1892. Though not intended to be strictly denominational it was thought best to have the control in hands of members of the Reformed Church. Hence its Board of Directors consist of laymen, four ladies and four ministers, all being members of said denomination. The society has now about 230 members contributing each one dollar or more per annum.

Miss C. Bröckel, an educated and experienced Deaconess nurse of high standing, from Germany, was called to the work of the society and in November, 1893, began her efficient labors by nursing in private families. It soon became evident that we needed more such devoted women for this work. It also became apparent that we must educate and train them for the work. To do this it became necessary to have a hospital, however small. So in February, 1894, the Bethesda Deaconess House was opened. It was a modest little frame building

of only a few rooms. Soon we were crowded. In a very few months we had to look around for

**JANUARY 7.** Dedication of new Reformed Church, Louisville, O., costing \$33,000. Rev. J. J. pastor.

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December 17. Dedication of new Reformed Church, Weissport, Pa. Rev. D. J. H. pastor.

December 17. Dedication of new Reformed Church at Hagerstown, Md. Rev. J. J. pastor.

December 18. Death of Rev. J. J. Iowa, aged 67 years and 13 days.

December 24. Dedication of new Reformed Church, Nashville, Tenn. Rev. John Von C.

## Main Events in the Church.

From September 1, 1893, to August 31, 1894.

### 1893.

**SEPTEMBER 2.** Cornerstone laying of Mt. Zion Reformed Church at Pavia, Pa. Rev. S. U. Waugaman, pastor.

September 3. Dedication of Reformed Church at Melbourne, Iowa. Rev. Samuel Ellicker, pastor.

September 11. Death of Rev. Charles Kuss at Rochester, N. Y., aged 76 years, 10 months and 18 days.

September 12. Opening of the Woman's College at Frederick, Md.

September 17. Cornerstone laying of new Reformed Church at Ephrata, Pa. Rev. S. Schweitzer, pastor.

September 21. Presentation day of the Reformed Church in the United States at the World's Parliament of Religions at Chicago, Ill.

**OCTOBER 15.** Cornerstone laying of St. Paul's Reformed Church at West Hazleton, Pa.

October 20. Death of Rev. Philip Schaff, D. D., in New York City, N. Y., aged 74 years, 9 months and 19 days, having been born at Coire, Switzerland, January 1, 1819.

October 22. Dedication of Zoar Reformed Church at Horn, Iowa. Rev. R. Kirchhefer, pastor.

October 26. Cornerstone laying of Reformed Church at Apollo, Armstrong Co., Pa. Rev. J. N. Naly, pastor.

October 29. Dedication of new St. Matthew's Church, Manor Charge, Frederick Co., Md. Rev. I. M. Motter, pastor.

**NOVEMBER 5.** Dedication of new church at Hilger's Prairie, Henry Co., Mo. Rev. J. Knierim, pastor.

November 5. Dedication of new Reformed Church at Crystal Springs, O. Rev. I. S. Hahn, pastor.

November 12. Dedication of St. Luke's Reformed Church at Long Run, Carbon Co., Pa.

November 12. Dedication of new Reformed Church at Keedysville, Md. Rev. B. R. Carnahan, pastor.

November 17. Death of Rev. Jacob Bollenbacher at Georgetown, Iowa, aged 46 years, 3 months and 22 days.

November 19. Dedication of First Reformed Church at Goshen, Ind. Rev. Benj. B. Royer, pastor.

November 19. Dedication of new Reformed Church at Barberton, O. Rev. Jacob Ihle, pastor.

November 23. Organization of St. Luke's Reformed Church in North Wilkesbarre, Pa. Rev. S. C. Mickel, pastor.

**DECEMBER 2.** Dedication of St. John's (Union) Church near Gibraltar, Berks Co., Pa. Rev. J. V. George, pastor.

December 3. Dedication of new Second Reformed Church in Cleveland, O. Rev. Dr. J. H. Stepler, pastor.

December 10. Dedication of Emanuel Church, Madison Columbia Co., Pa. Rev. E. H. Dieffenbacher.

Dedication of new Trinity Church at Marion, O. Rev. I. M. Motter, pastor.

Dedication of new Reformed Church at Marion, O. Rev. C. E. Creitz, pastor.

Dedication of Chapel of Zion's Reformed Church at Md. Rev. Dr. J. S. Kieffer.

John H. Buser, Coneville, Pa.

Reformed Church at Grueningen, pastor.

Church at Leberman, pastor.

January 7. Death of Rev. Nicholas Wiers at Milltown, N. J., aged 53 years, 5 months and 17 days.

January 11. Death of Rev. Julius Lange at Schoeller, Germany, aged 52 years, 10 months and 24 days.

January 15. Death of Rev. Dr. Israel S. Weisz at York, Pa., aged 72 years, 1 month and 19 days.

January 17. Dedication of new Reformed Church at Ephrata, Pa. Rev. S. Schweitzer, pastor.

January 21. Dedication of new Reformed Church at North Freedom, Armstrong Co., Pa. Rev. R. F. Gass, pastor.

January 21. Dedication of new Reformed Church at St. Joseph, Mo. Rev. H. S. Gekeler, pastor.

**FEBRUARY 1.** Induction into office of Rev. Rufus W. Miller as Secretary of the Board of Sunday-school of General Synod of the Reformed Church in the U. S.

February 11. Dedication of new Reformed Church at Richville, Stark Co., O. Rev. I. A. Sites, pastor.

February 11. Dedication of the Bethesda Deaconess Home and Hospital at Cleveland, Ohio.

February 22. Organization of a new Reformed congregation of forty-two members at Massillon, Ohio. Rev. W. H. Shults, pastor.

**MARCH 11.** Dedication of the new Reformed Church at Quakertown, Pa. Rev. F. J. Mohr, pastor.

March 18. Death of Rev. Dr. William A. Helffrich at Fogelsville, Pa., aged 66 years, 6 months and 28 days.

March 18. Dedication of the new Reformed Church at Apollo, Pa. Rev. J. N. Naly, pastor.

March 29. Death of Rev. John C. Hensel at Mt. Crawford, Va., aged 85 years.

March 31. Death of Rev. John R. Huecker at Lennox, South Dakota, aged 51 years, 1 month and 6 days.

**APRIL 1.** Dedication of the new church of the Daniel's congregation in North Carolina. Rev. Dr. J. C. Clapp, pastor.

April 15. Cornerstone laying of Wilson Avenue Reformed Church in Columbus, Ohio. Rev. S. W. Seemann, pastor.

April 22. Rededication of Reformed Church at Middleburg, Pa. Cost of reparation, \$2,100. Rev. S. S. Kohler, pastor.

April 22. Death of Rev. Joseph S. Loose at Bridgewater, Va.

**MAY 5.** Cornerstone laying of new Reformed Church near Albertus, Lehigh Co., Pa. Rev. N. W. A. Helffrich, pastor.

May 6. Dedication of new St. Paul's Reformed Church in Baltimore, Md. Rev. Herman Wiemer, pastor.

May 8. Death of Rev. Dr. Amos H. Kremer at Carlisle, Pa., aged 79 years, 6 months and 5 days.

May 10. Dedication of the new building of the Theological Seminary of the Reformed Church at Lancaster, Pa., with appropriate ceremonies.

May 13. Dedication of Ebenezer (Union) Church at New Tripoli, Pa. Rev. N. W. A. Helffrich, pastor.

May 13. Death of Rev. Oswald E. Accola at New Philadelphia, Ohio, aged 29 years, 3 months and 14 days.

May 20. Cornerstone laying of new Reformed Church at Grafton, Pa. Rev. H. E. Jones, pastor.

May 20. Dedication of Trinity Reformed Church at Akron, Ohio. Rev. E. D. Wettach, pastor.

May 22. Cornerstone laying of new Reformed Church at New Philadelphia, Ohio. Rev. J. B. Rust, pastor.

May 27. Dedication of new St. Paul's Reformed Church at Quarryville, Pa. Rev. J. M. Souder, pastor.

May 27. Dedication of New Upper Tinicum Church in Bucks Co., Pa. Rev. H. F. Long, pastor.

**JUNE 3.** Cornerstone laying of Grace Reformed Church at Fort Wayne, Ind. Rev. A. K. Zartman, pastor.

June 10. Dedication of new Reformed Church at Harlem Center, Illinois. Cost, \$2,000. Rev. Jos. Sechler, pastor.

June 22. Death of Rev. Albert R. Thompson at Collegeville, Pa., aged 43 years, 4 months and 12 days.  
 June 23. Death of Rev. Dr. Aaron Wanner at York, Pa., aged 75 years and 9 days.  
 June 24. Cornerstone laying of new Reformed Church at Pembroke, Pa.  
**JULY 8.** Cornerstone laying of Christ Reformed Church, Hagerstown, Md. Rev. G. A. Snyder, pastor.  
 July 9. Death of Rev. Geo. Wm. Welker, D. D., at Lamont, N. C., aged 76 years, 8 months and 6 days.  
 July 15. Death of Rev. Charles Becker in Philadelphia, Pa., aged 77 years.  
 July 15. Cornerstone laying of new Reformed Church at Bromley, Ky.  
 July 15. Cornerstone laying of new Reformed Church at McConnellsburg, Pa. Rev. Geo. C. Erb, pastor.  
 July 15. Cornerstone laying of new Immanuel's Reformed Church in Indianapolis, Ind. Rev. A. G. Gekeler, pastor.  
 July 22. Dedication of new Salem Reformed Church in Richardson Co., Neb. Rev. Otto Kuhn, pastor.  
 July 31. Death of Rev. Jeremiah S. Shade, in Philadelphia, Pa.  
**AUGUST 12.** Cornerstone laying of new Reformed Church at Lykens, Pa. Rev. L. D. Steckel, pastor.  
 August 12. Dedication of Wilson Avenue Reformed Church, Columbus, Ohio. Rev. S. W. Seemann, pastor.  
 August 15. Miss Lena Zurfuh, as missionary, sailed for Japan.  
 August 19. Cornerstone laying of St. John's Reformed Church in Crawford Township, Coshocton Co., O. Rev. C. Schmitt, pastor.  
 August 19. Dedication of new Reformed Church at Tannersville, Pa. Rev. Paul M. Spangler, pastor.  
 August 26. Cornerstone laying of new Union Keller's Church in Bucks Co., Pa. Rev. C. B. Weaver, pastor.

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During the year 1529 the city of Basle passed through a crisis. On the previous Good Friday five workmen had entered the St. Martin's Church (when Ecolampadius had been preaching the doctrines of the reformation for six years) and carried away the images in the church. This was the signal for the out-burst of the reformation there. For a year after, the city was divided between the Romish and the Protestant parties. Christmas day 1528 was spent by both parties under arms. Three thousand Reformed being at the Gardeners' Hall, while their enemies stood armed at the Fishmongers' Hall. The Senate of the city met, and, to settle the controversy, ordered the Reformed to hold a meeting at the Franciscan Church and the Papists at the Dominican Church. The attendance at these meetings settled the question. Twenty-five hundred Protestants assembled at their place of meeting and only six hundred Romanists (many of them foreigners) met at their church. It was very evident in which direction the city was tending. In these exciting times it was very important that a calm judicious mind should lead the people. Such a

man was Ecolampadius, the Reformer of Basle and the bosom friend of Zwingli. His name meant "a little lamp, but he was a burning and a shining light" like John the Baptist, lighting many to salvation. He was just the man for the times, mild, yet firm; peaceable, he was able to maintain peace in the midst of such discord. He preached to them "Be meek and tractable" and he preached with such unction that many were ready to burst into tears. The leaders of the Romish party seeing they were defeated began secretly to leave the city and cross the Rhine in boats. The Reformed took control of the city and burst into the cathedral and cast out the images, altars and pictures. And when Ash Wednesday 1529 came, it was really Ash Wednesday, for the images, etc., were burned to ashes. Thus the Reformed Church was permanently founded in Basle by Ecolampadius.

On August 10, 1559, there was a great stir in the city of Treves in Western Germany. Olevianus who had greatly longed to preach about his Savior to his native city had succeeded in getting a position as teacher there. And when the ruler of the city, the Elector of Treves, was absent he posted a notice on the city hall stating that he would hold Protestant service in his school that morning. Great was the crowd of people that came to hear what this setter-forth of strange doctrines had to say. He gained so many adherents in that superstitious Romish city that the city council gave him a church which became crowded at his services. But the Elector of Treves hearing of this Protestant movement in his city hastened back with an army. He besieged the city and captured it. He drove out all the Protestants, put Olevianus in prison. Olevianus was then called to Heidelberg and became one of the authors.

#### Restoring Perfume of Flowers.

The perfume of flowers disappears as soon as the starch in the petals is exhausted, and it may be restored by placing the flowers in a solution of sugar, when the formation of starch and the emission of fragrance will at once be resumed.

## Annual Meetings of Classes in 1895.

*Connected with the several District Synods of the Reformed Church in the United States, giving the place and time of their meetings, and the names of their respective officers.*

### Eastern Synod.

*East Pennsylvania.*—Brodheadville, Pa., on Monday, May 13, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. G. A. Schwedes, president; Rev. T. O. Stem, stated clerk and treasurer.

*Lebanon.*—Robesonia, Pa., on Monday, May 20, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. W. J. Johnson, president; Rev. Dr. J. E. Hiester, stated clerk; Elder Jacob K. Funck, treasurer.

*Philadelphia.*—North Wales, Pa., on Tuesday, May 14, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. H. H. Apple, president; Rev. Dr. J. H. Sechler, stated clerk; Hon. Hiram C. Hoover, treasurer.

*Lancaster.*—Maytown, Pa., on Tuesday, June 4, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. S. Schweitzer, president; Rev. D. W. Gerhard, stated clerk; Rev. J. H. Pannebecker, treasurer.

*East Susquehanna.*—Mt. Carmel, Pa., on Monday, June 10, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. L. D. Steckel, president; Rev. J. C. Leinbach, stated clerk; George Hill, Esq., treasurer.

*West Susquehanna.*—Mifflinburg, Pa., on Wednesday, May 15, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. S. H. Eisenberg, president; Rev. W. A. Haas, stated clerk and treasurer.

*Goshenhoppen.*—Bechtelsville, Pa., on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, at 2 P. M. Rev. G. B. Walbert, president; Rev. C. S. Wieand, stated clerk; Elder David B. Mauger, treasurer.

*Tohickon.*—Hellertown, Pa., on Monday, May 27, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. S. H. Phillips, president; Rev. N. Z. Snyder, stated clerk; Elder Isaac G. Gerhart, treasurer.

*Lehigh.*—Coplay, Pa., on Monday, May 13, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. J. A. Reber, president; Rev. M. H. Diefenderfer, stated clerk and treasurer.

*Schuylkill.*—Shenandoah, Pa., on Monday, June 10, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. R. O'Boyle, president; Rev. W. J. Muir, stated clerk; Rev. J. W. Steinmetz, treasurer.

*Wyoming.*—Conyngham, Pa., on Wednesday, May 15, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. A. Noll, president; Rev. D. E. Schoedler, stated clerk; Rev. A. Houtz, treasurer.

### Ohio Synod.

*Miami.*—North Hampton, Ohio, on Tuesday, May 7, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. A. E. Baichly, president; Rev. Dr. H. M. Herman, stated clerk; Elder Victor P. Van Horne, treasurer.

*Lancaster.*—Thornville, Ohio, on Wednesday, May 8, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. A. D. Wofinger, president; Rev. S. W. Seemann, stated clerk; Rev. John A. Seitz, treasurer.

*Tuscarawas.*—Trinity Church, Akron, Ohio, on Tuesday, May 21, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. E. R. Williard, president; Rev. E. D. Wettach, stated clerk; Elder Ephraim K. Kremer, treasurer.

*Tiffin.*—Bettsville, Ohio, on Thursday, May 2, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. J. D. Neff, president; Rev. A. H. Zechiel, stated clerk; Rev. Dr. J. B. Shumaker, treasurer.

*Eastern Ohio.*—Paradise Church, Mt. Olivet charge, on Tuesday, May 7, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. F. H. Keller, president; Rev. G. W. Hening, stated clerk; Rev. J. H. Bomberger, treasurer.

*St. Joseph.*—Bluffton, Ind., on Thursday, May 20, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. B. B. Royer, president; Rev. F. Ware, stated clerk; Elder Ben Ashbaucher, treasurer.

### Synod of Northwest.

*Zion's.*—Decatur, Ind., on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. Dr. J. Kuelling, president; Rev. H. W. Vitz, stated clerk; Rev. B. Ruf, treasurer.

*Sheboygan.*—Kiel, Wis., on Wednesday, June 5, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. L. W. Zenk, president; Rev. D. W. Vriesen, stated clerk; Rev. J. J. Janett, treasurer.

*Indiana.*—First Church, Indianapolis, Ind., on Wednesday, June 5, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. C. F. Kriete, president; Rev. E. W. Henschen, stated clerk; Elder F. Welp, treasurer.

*Milwaukee.*—Watertown, Wis., on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. J. J. V. Gruening, president; Rev. H. O. Joerris, stated clerk; Rev. J. Herzog, treasurer.

*Minnesota.*—Bongard, Minn., on Wednesday, June 5, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. H. Treick, president; Rev. J. O. Vitz, stated clerk; Rev. Paul Ebinger, treasurer; (Waukon, Iowa.).

*Nebraska.*—Yutan, Neb., on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 8 P. M. Rev. J. B. Braun, president; Rev. Wm. Bonekemper, stated clerk; Rev. J. Arnold, treasurer.

*Missouri.*—Avenue City, Mo., on Thursday, June 13, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. W. F. Horstmeier, president; Rev. J. Bohler, stated clerk; J. Peters, treasurer.

*Ursinus*.—Schaller, Iowa, on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 8 P. M. Rev. Remt Kirchhefer, president; Rev. C. G. Zipf, stated clerk; Rev. E. Scheidt, treasurer.

*Chicago*.—Freeport, Ill., on Wednesday, June 5, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. A. Heineman, president; Rev. Dr. O. J. Accola, stated clerk; Rev. S. Romeis, treasurer.

*South Dakota*.—Scotland, S. D., on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. M. Treiber, president; Rev. F. A. Rittershaus, stated clerk; Mr. Christian Buechler, treasurer.

#### Pittsburgh Synod.

*Westmoreland*.—Salina, Pa., on Wednesday, May 29, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. C. R. Ferner, president and treasurer; Rev. J. F. Snyder, stated clerk.

*Clarion*.—Apollo, Pa., on Wednesday, May 15, 1895, at 7.45 P. M. Rev. D. W. Kerr, president; Rev. R. E. Crum, stated clerk; Rev. R. C. Bowling, treasurer.

*St. Paul's*.—Meadville, Pa., on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 8 P. M. Rev. U. O. H. Kerschner, president; Rev. T. S. Land, stated clerk; Elder C. M. Boush, treasurer.

*Somerset*.—St. Paul's Church, Wilhelm charge, Pa., on Wednesday, May 15, 1895, at 7.45 P. M. Rev. Dr. A. R. Kremer, president; Rev. Dr. A. J. Heller, stated clerk and treasurer.

*Allegheny*.—St. Mark's Memorial Church, E. Pittsburgh, Pa., on Wednesday, May 20, 1895, at 8 P. M. Rev. A. M. Schmidt, president; Rev. D. N. Harnish, stated clerk; Elder John M. Conroy, treasurer.

#### Synod of the Potomac.

*Zion's*.—Barren Church, Dillsburg Charge, York Co., Pa., on Tuesday, May 14, 1895, 2.30 P. M. Rev. A. F. Dreisbach, president; Rev. Aaron Spangler, stated clerk; Elder C. A. Shultz, treasurer.

*Maryland*.—Adamsburg, Md., on Wednesday, May 15, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. B. R. Carnahan, president; Rev. E. R. Deatrick, stated clerk; Rev. C. S. Slagle, treasurer.

*Mercersburg*.—McConnellsburg, Pa., on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. T. R. Dietz, president; Rev. Dr. W. M. Deatrick, stated clerk and treasurer.

*Virginia*.—Edenburg, Va., on Wednesday, June 5, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. C. B. Heller, president; Rev. Dr. J. A. Hoffheins, stated clerk; Rev. A. B. Bauman, treasurer.

*North Carolina*.—Calvary, North Carolina, on Wednesday, May 1, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. Dr. P. M. Trexler, president; Rev. J. C. Leonard, stated clerk; Col. H. A. Forney, treasurer.

*Gettysburg*.—Fairfield, Pa., on Thursday, May 16, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. W. E. Krebs, president; Rev. T. J. Barkley, stated clerk and treasurer.

*Carlisle*.—Landisburg, Pa., on Thursday, May 16, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. G. A. House, president; Rev. J. D. Miller, stated clerk and treasurer.

*Juniata*.—Alexandria, Pa., on Thursday, May 30, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. C. S. Stover, president; Rev. J. W. Pontius, stated clerk; Rev. Dr. F. A. Rupley, treasurer.

*Portland-Oregon*.—Washougal, Wash., on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. G. Graedel, president; Rev. J. Muellhaupt, stated clerk; F. Koellermeier, treasurer.

#### German Synod of the East.

*New York*.—Martha Memorial Church, New York City, on Tuesday, June 11, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. W. Walenta, president; Rev. C. Brunner, stated clerk; Elder John Lutz, treasurer.

*West New York*.—Salem Church, Buffalo, N. Y., on Tuesday, June 11, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. A. E. Dahlman, president; Rev. C. Gundlach, stated clerk; Mr. C. R. Mennig, treasurer.

*German Philadelphia*.—Emanuel Church, West Philadelphia, Pa., on Tuesday, June 4, 1895, 8 P. M. Rev. G. A. Scheer, president; Rev. M. F. Dumstrey, stated clerk; Elder Jacob Longendorfer, treasurer.

*German Maryland*.—Friedens Kirche, Baltimore, Md., on Tuesday, June 11, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. G. Facius, president; Rev. H. C. Schlueter, stated clerk and treasurer.

*West Pennsylvania*.—St. Paul's Church, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Tuesday, June 4, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. C. Scheel, president; Rev. C. Borchers, stated clerk and treasurer.

#### Central Synod.

*Heidelberg*.—Kenton, Ohio, on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. P. S. Kohler, president; Rev. M. Vitz, stated clerk; Elder J. S. Zimmerman, treasurer.

*Erie*.—New Bavaria, Ohio, on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. F. Schaad, president; Rev. W. Friebolin, stated clerk; Rev. Dr. J. H. C. Roentgen, treasurer.

*St. John's*.—Ragersville, Ohio, on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. Dr. J. A. Keller, president; Rev. C. Schmitt, stated clerk; Rev. F. Strassner, treasurer.

*Cincinnati*.—Ludlow Grove, Ohio, on Tuesday, June 4, 1895, at 7.30 P. M. Rev. B. S. Stern, president; Rev. Dr. J. Bachman, stated clerk; Elder Christian Uthbrock, treasurer.

**Synod of the Interior.**

*Illinois*.—Summum, Ill., on Wednesday before full moon in May, 1895, at 7:45 P. M. Rev. J. W. Alspach, president; Rev. J. Wolbach, stated clerk; Rev. J. Sechler, treasurer.

*Iowa*.—Wilton, Iowa, (time to be determined by officers.) Rev. S. Ream, president; Rev. D. H. Fouse, stated clerk; Rev. Dr. D. S. Fouse, treasurer.

*Kansas*.—Kansas City, Mo., on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 7:30 P. M. Rev. H. S. Gekeler, president; Rev. G. W. Remagen, stated clerk; Rev. J. W. Love, treasurer.

*Wichita*.—Wichita, Kansas, on Thursday, May 9, 1895, at 8 P. M. Rev. Bruce Griffith, president; Rev. D. B. Shuey, stated clerk and treasurer.

*Lincoln*.—Imogene, Iowa, on Thursday, May 16, 1895, at 7:30 P. M. Rev. P. E. Zartman, president; Rev. T. F. Stauffer, stated clerk and treasurer.

**Population of Jews.**

The Jews, though hated and persecuted, and scattered throughout the earth, have kept their identity through the ages and grown in number. It is said that their number is about the same as in the days of David and Solomon. According to the latest estimates their number is in

|                    |           |
|--------------------|-----------|
| Russia             | 2,261,000 |
| Austria            | 1,375,000 |
| America (over)     | 1,000,000 |
| Germany            | 512,000   |
| Roumania           | 274,000   |
| Asia               | 200,000   |
| Turkey             | 100,000   |
| Africa             | 80,000    |
| Holland            | 70,000    |
| England            | 50,000    |
| France             | 40,000    |
| Italy              | 35,000    |
| Spain and Portugal | 6,600     |
| Norway             | 2,500     |
| Sweden             | 1,800     |
|                    | 6,007,900 |

**Facts and Truisms.**

It is attested by recent statistics that nearly two-thirds of all the letters carried by the postal service of the world are written, sent and read by English-speaking people. And it is reliably

estimated that 115,000,000 now speak the English language.

Experience in many respects is very valuable; and according to the estimate of a modern philosopher, "experience would be a splendid commodity if it could only be sold out for what it cost."

Life at best is beset with trials and troubles; but there are many persons who double their trials and magnify their troubles by brooding upon them.

Those who loiter and wait for "dead men's shoes" often have to go "bare-footed" for a long time. It is far better to depend upon their self-assertion, and carve out their own fortune.

It is not always the "hustler," the "hand-shaker" and the "mixer," that in the end prove the most trusted friends. For those who have seemed the hardest to gain as friends, subsequently proved the truest and the most faithful ones, especially in time of real need.

**Church Statistics in Ireland.**

According to the latest census there are in Ireland 3,545,856 Roman Catholics. This number is 411,035, or 10.4 per cent. less than in 1881. Protestant Episcopalians 600,230 being a decrease of 39,344, or 1.2 per cent. Presbyterians 446,687, being a decrease of 24,047, or 5.1 per cent. Methodists 55,235, which is an increase of 6,396, or 13.1 per cent.

The Catholics are the most numerous in the County of Cork. The comparative numerical strength between them and the Protestants is as 10 to 1. The Protestants are in the majority in the counties of Antrim, Armagh, Down, Londonderry and Tyrone.

**A Beautiful Prayer.**

The Duchess of Gordon left among her papers, found after her death, the following lovely prayer:

"O Lord, give me grace to feel the need of thy grace; give me grace to ask for thy grace; and when in thy grace thou hast given me grace, give me grace to use thy grace."

Let each longing soul commit this sweet petition to memory, and use it before the Father's throne.—*Selected.*

## Alumni of Theological Seminary.

Heidelberg Theological Seminary of the Reformed Church in the United States, located at Tiffin, Ohio, was opened for students in June, 1851, and since then to June, 1894, a period of forty-three (43) years, two hundred and sixty-eight (268) young men have been educated there for the gospel ministry, including a few who pursued a partial course in the institution, as the following register of the names of the Alumni shows, together with the year of their licensure and ordination, viz:

## CLASS OF 1854.

| NAMES.                           | Licensed. | Ordained. |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Frederick C. Bauman . . . . .    | 1853      | 1854      |
| *John Blaetgen . . . . .         | 1854      | 1854      |
| John H. Klein . . . . .          | 1853      | 1853      |
| Charles A. Limberg . . . . .     | 1854      | 1854      |
| *Peter Nickert . . . . .         | 1854      | 1854      |
| *Cyrus H. Reiter . . . . .       | 1854      | 1855      |
| Isaac H. Reiter . . . . .        | 1854      | 1854      |
| *Frederick C. Schwartz . . . . . | 1854      | 1854      |
| William Spies . . . . .          | 1854      | 1854      |
| Henry A. Winter . . . . .        | 1852      | 1852      |

## CLASS OF 1855.

|                               |      |      |
|-------------------------------|------|------|
| Charles Bank . . . . .        | 1855 | 1855 |
| J. Henry Eschmeier . . . . .  | 1855 | 1855 |
| Tillman Grosshuesch . . . . . | 1857 | 1857 |
| *Jacob M. Le Fevre . . . . .  | 1856 | 1856 |
| Casper Scheel . . . . .       | 1855 | 1856 |

## CLASS OF 1856.

|                             |      |      |
|-----------------------------|------|------|
| John Jacob Escher . . . . . | 1856 | 1856 |
| John Knie . . . . .         | 1856 | 1856 |
| Abraham B. Koplin . . . . . | 1856 | 1857 |
| *Philip Roser . . . . .     | 1856 | 1856 |
| Peter Vitz . . . . .        | 1856 | 1856 |

## CLASS OF 1857.

|                                 |      |      |
|---------------------------------|------|------|
| *George A. Fickes . . . . .     | 1857 | 1857 |
| *Henry K. Hoffman . . . . .     |      |      |
| *Peter Joerris . . . . .        | 1857 | 1857 |
| Solomon N. King . . . . .       | 1857 | 1857 |
| William McCaughey . . . . .     | 1857 | 1857 |
| George Z. Mechling . . . . .    | 1857 | 1857 |
| *Robert Otto Miller . . . . .   | 1857 |      |
| Frederick W. Steffens . . . . . | 1857 | 1857 |

## CLASS OF 1858.

|                               |      |      |
|-------------------------------|------|------|
| Charles H. Fehr . . . . .     | 1858 | 1858 |
| William H. Fenneman . . . . . | 1858 | 1859 |
| *Charles W. Hoyman . . . . .  | 1858 | 1858 |
| *David W. Kelly . . . . .     | 1858 | 1858 |
| *John B. Kniest . . . . .     | 1858 | 1858 |
| Nathaniel H. Loose . . . . .  | 1858 | 1858 |
| *James Reinhart . . . . .     | 1859 | 1860 |
| David H. Reiter . . . . .     | 1858 | 1858 |
| *Peter Tendick . . . . .      | 1858 | 1858 |

## CLASS OF 1859.

|                              |      |      |
|------------------------------|------|------|
| Oswald J. Accola . . . . .   | 1860 | 1860 |
| Francis A. Edmonds . . . . . | 1859 | 1859 |
| Peter Greding . . . . .      | 1859 | 1859 |
| Nathaniel Ruetenik . . . . . | 1860 | 1860 |

## NAMES.

|                               |      |      |
|-------------------------------|------|------|
| Henry E. C. Schutte . . . . . | 1859 | 1859 |
| John I. Swander . . . . .     | 1859 | 1859 |
| *Francis Wolff . . . . .      | 1860 | 1860 |

## CLASS OF 1860.

|                             |      |      |
|-----------------------------|------|------|
| Thomas J. Barkley . . . . . | 1860 | 1860 |
| Elias Bauman . . . . .      | 1860 | 1861 |
| James Heffley . . . . .     | 1860 | 1860 |
| George H. Leonard . . . . . | 1860 | 1861 |
| *Martin Mueller . . . . .   | 1860 | 1860 |
| William Renier . . . . .    | 1860 | 1860 |
| Samuel Shaw . . . . .       | 1860 | 1861 |

## CLASS OF 1861.

|                            |      |      |
|----------------------------|------|------|
| John Biery . . . . .       | 1861 | 1861 |
| William W. James . . . . . | 1862 | 1863 |

## CLASS OF 1862.

|                           |      |      |
|---------------------------|------|------|
| Joel W. Alspach . . . . . | 1862 | 1862 |
| Henry Bair . . . . .      | 1862 | 1862 |
| Samuel Z. Beam . . . . .  | 1862 | 1862 |
| John B. Kieffer . . . . . | 1868 |      |
| *James Leibert . . . . .  | 1862 | 1863 |
| Isaac Matzinger . . . . . | 1862 | 1862 |
| Abraham Miller . . . . .  | 1862 | 1862 |
| John H. Stepler . . . . . | 1862 | 1862 |

## CLASS OF 1863.

|                          |      |      |
|--------------------------|------|------|
| Jacob B. Zumpe . . . . . | 1864 | 1864 |
|                          |      |      |

## CLASS OF 1864.

|                                |      |      |
|--------------------------------|------|------|
| Samuel E. Herring . . . . .    | 1864 | 1864 |
| Frederick Huellhurst . . . . . | 1864 | 1864 |
| Augustus R. Kieffer . . . . .  | 1864 | 1864 |
| Charles O. Knepper . . . . .   | 1864 |      |
| Gerhard Kuhlen . . . . .       | 1864 | 1865 |
| *David D. Leberman . . . . .   | 1864 | 1864 |
| Simon P. Myers . . . . .       | 1874 | 1874 |
| Frederick Schaad . . . . .     | 1864 | 1864 |
| Jacob F. Snyder . . . . .      | 1864 | 1864 |

## CLASS OF 1865.

|                                  |      |      |
|----------------------------------|------|------|
| Joseph A. Keller . . . . .       | 1871 | 1871 |
| *Joseph Kester . . . . .         | 1865 | 1865 |
| Orange E. Lake . . . . .         | 1865 | 1865 |
| Christian H. Schoepfle . . . . . | 1865 | 1865 |

## CLASS OF 1866.

|                             |      |      |
|-----------------------------|------|------|
| Sebastian C. Goss . . . . . | 1866 | 1866 |
| Edward D. Miller . . . . .  | 1866 | 1866 |
| Charles Schaaf . . . . .    | 1866 | 1866 |

## CLASS OF 1867.

| NAMES.                       | Licensed. | Ordained. |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Louis Crist . . . . .        | 1867      | 1868      |
| Frederick Merkens . . . . .  |           |           |
| Joseph B. Shumaker . . . . . | 1867      | 1867      |

## CLASS OF 1868.

|                                  |      |      |
|----------------------------------|------|------|
| Charles Doerner . . . . .        | 1868 | 1868 |
| *S. Nevin L. Kessler . . . . .   |      |      |
| Jacob Kuhn . . . . .             | 1868 | 1868 |
| Wm. C. B. Shulenberger . . . . . | 1868 | 1869 |
| Emanuel Shultz . . . . .         | 1870 | 1875 |
| Samuel B. Yockey . . . . .       | 1868 | 1868 |

## CLASS OF 1869.

|                              |      |      |
|------------------------------|------|------|
| Edward Herbruck . . . . .    | 1869 | 1869 |
| Alfred Houtz . . . . .       | 1869 | 1869 |
| *Henry D. Houtz . . . . .    |      |      |
| Lewis M. Kerschner . . . . . | 1869 | 1869 |
| *Frederick Moyer . . . . .   | 1868 |      |

## CLASS OF 1870.

|                                 |      |      |
|---------------------------------|------|------|
| Oliver L. Ashenfelter . . . . . | 1870 | 1870 |
| Christian Baum . . . . .        | 1870 | 1870 |
| Frederick W. Berleman . . . . . | 1870 | 1870 |
| William Dieckman . . . . .      | 1872 | 1872 |
| Henry A. Keyser . . . . .       | 1870 | 1870 |
| *Eberhard Kuhlen . . . . .      | 1870 | 1870 |
| Henry H. Sandoe . . . . .       | 1870 | 1870 |
| Hiram Shumaker . . . . .        | 1870 | 1870 |
| Isaac A. Sites . . . . .        | 1870 | 1870 |
| Aaron Spangler . . . . .        | 1870 | 1870 |
| Jacob Spoerri . . . . .         | 1870 | 1870 |
| Henry Wegert . . . . .          | 1870 | 1870 |
| Harvey Wilson . . . . .         | 1870 | 1870 |

## CLASS OF 1871.

|                                    |      |      |
|------------------------------------|------|------|
| Peter H. Dippell . . . . .         | 1871 | 1871 |
| John S. Gough . . . . .            | 1871 | 1871 |
| Charles G. A. Huellhurst . . . . . | 1871 | 1871 |
| Philip Ruhl . . . . .              | 1871 | 1871 |

## CLASS OF 1872.

|                                |      |      |
|--------------------------------|------|------|
| Theodore J. Bacher . . . . .   | 1872 | 1872 |
| Charles W. Good . . . . .      | 1873 | 1873 |
| *Austin Henry . . . . .        | 1872 | 1873 |
| Martin Hoerlein . . . . .      | 1872 | 1872 |
| John M. Kendig . . . . .       | 1872 | 1872 |
| Sylvester W. McClure . . . . . | 1872 | 1872 |
| *Amos F. Zartman . . . . .     | 1872 | 1872 |

## CLASS OF 1873.

|                                  |      |      |
|----------------------------------|------|------|
| Frederick Baldenweg . . . . .    |      |      |
| John H. Beck . . . . .           | 1873 | 1873 |
| *Frederick P. Hartmetz . . . . . | 1873 | 1873 |
| Moritz Heinze . . . . .          | 1873 | 1873 |
| *William Herr . . . . .          | 1873 | 1873 |
| John J. Leberman . . . . .       | 1873 | 1873 |
| Aaron H. Leiss . . . . .         | 1873 | 1873 |
| *Jacob V. Lerch . . . . .        | 1873 | 1873 |
| Michael Loucks . . . . .         | 1873 | 1873 |
| Edward H. Otting . . . . .       | 1873 | 1874 |
| John R. Skinner . . . . .        | 1873 | 1873 |
| Alvin S. Zerbe . . . . .         | 1873 | 1873 |

## CLASS OF 1874.

| NAMES.                           | Licensed. | Ordained. |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| George H. Albright . . . . .     | 1874      | 1874      |
| James T. Hale . . . . .          | 1874      | 1874      |
| John H. Hartman . . . . .        | 1874      | 1874      |
| William H. Herbert . . . . .     | 1874      | 1874      |
| Silas P. Mauger . . . . .        | 1874      | 1874      |
| Solomon Ream . . . . .           | 1874      | 1874      |
| Richard B. Reichard . . . . .    | 1874      | 1874      |
| Josephus F. Sponseller . . . . . | 1874      | 1874      |
| Edwin R. Williard . . . . .      | 1874      | 1874      |

## CLASS OF 1875.

|                              |      |      |
|------------------------------|------|------|
| William M. Andrews . . . . . | 1876 | 1876 |
| Louis Grosenbaugh . . . . .  | 1875 | 1875 |
| Charles M. Schaaf . . . . .  | 1875 | 1875 |

## CLASS OF 1876.

|                               |      |      |
|-------------------------------|------|------|
| Amos Casselman . . . . .      | 1876 | 1876 |
| Emil P. Herbruck . . . . .    | 1876 | 1876 |
| Scott F. Hershey . . . . .    | 1876 | 1876 |
| Charles F. Kriete . . . . .   | 1876 | 1876 |
| William J. Peters . . . . .   | 1876 | 1876 |
| Joseph L. Schatz . . . . .    | 1875 | 1876 |
| G. William H. Smith . . . . . | 1876 | 1876 |
| Allen K. Zartman . . . . .    | 1876 | 1876 |
| William H. Ziegler . . . . .  | 1876 | 1876 |

## CLASS OF 1877.

|                                 |      |      |
|---------------------------------|------|------|
| James N. Bachman . . . . .      | 1877 | 1877 |
| Alpheus E. Baichly . . . . .    | 1877 | 1877 |
| Milton F. Frank . . . . .       | 1877 | 1877 |
| Jerome B. Henry . . . . .       | 1877 | 1877 |
| Reuben Keller . . . . .         | 1877 | 1877 |
| David J. Meese . . . . .        | 1877 | 1877 |
| Frederick J. Sauerber . . . . . | 1877 | 1877 |
| *John S. Stoner . . . . .       | 1877 | 1877 |
| Frederick W. Stump . . . . .    | 1877 | 1877 |
| Edward D. Wettach . . . . .     | 1877 | 1877 |
| Frank C. Witthoff . . . . .     | 1878 | 1878 |

## CLASS OF 1878.

|                                 |      |      |
|---------------------------------|------|------|
| Daniel J. Greenwald . . . . .   | 1878 | 1878 |
| William F. Horstmeier . . . . . | 1878 | 1878 |
| Jacob Ihle . . . . .            | 1878 | 1878 |
| Silas B. Mase . . . . .         | 1878 | 1878 |
| Jairus P. Moore . . . . .       | 1877 | 1878 |
| Robert F. Oplinger . . . . .    | 1878 | 1878 |
| James H. Steele . . . . .       | 1878 | 1878 |

## CLASS OF 1879.

|                                |      |      |
|--------------------------------|------|------|
| John J. M. Gruber . . . . .    | 1879 | 1879 |
| Anson L. Hassler . . . . .     | 1879 | 1879 |
| Nevin W. A. Helfrich . . . . . | 1879 | 1879 |
| John B. Rust . . . . .         | 1880 | 1880 |

## CLASS OF 1880.

|                             |      |      |
|-----------------------------|------|------|
| Isaiah S. Hahn . . . . .    | 1880 | 1880 |
| Louis B. C. Lahr . . . . .  | 1880 | 1881 |
| William A. Miller . . . . . | 1880 | 1880 |
| John D. Neff . . . . .      | 1880 | 1880 |
| John W. Rauch . . . . .     | 1880 | 1880 |
| William Smith . . . . .     | 1880 | 1880 |

## CLASS OF 1881.

| NAMES.                        | Licensed. | Ordained. |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Paul Barringer . . . . .      | 1881      | 1881      |
| Albert Gonser . . . . .       | 1881      | 1881      |
| Allen R. Holshouser . . . . . | 1881      | 1881      |
| James H. Lippard . . . . .    | 1881      | 1881      |
| Madison C. Peters . . . . .   | 1881      | 1881      |

## CLASS OF 1882.

|                             |      |      |
|-----------------------------|------|------|
| Edward M. Beck . . . . .    | 1882 | 1882 |
| John L. Bretz . . . . .     | 1882 | 1882 |
| William A. From . . . . .   | 1882 | 1882 |
| George A. House . . . . .   | 1882 | 1882 |
| William A. Long . . . . .   | 1882 | 1882 |
| George W. Remagen . . . . . | 1882 | 1882 |
| John A. Seitz . . . . .     | 1882 | 1882 |
| William H. Shults . . . . . | 1882 | 1882 |
| George H. Souder . . . . .  | 1882 | 1882 |
| John F. Winter . . . . .    | 1882 | 1882 |

## CLASS OF 1883.

|                            |      |      |
|----------------------------|------|------|
| Frank S. Houser . . . . .  | 1883 | 1883 |
| Samuel L. Runkel . . . . . | 1883 | 1883 |
| Rufus C. Zartman . . . . . | 1883 | 1883 |

## CLASS OF 1884.

|                             |      |      |
|-----------------------------|------|------|
| Isaiah N. Burger . . . . .  | 1884 | 1884 |
| George C. Gerlach . . . . . | 1884 | 1884 |
| Frederick Mayer . . . . .   | 1884 | 1884 |
| Neri F. Peters . . . . .    | 1884 | 1884 |
| John C. Schaaf . . . . .    | 1884 | 1884 |
| Francis M. Shults . . . . . | 1884 | 1884 |
| John D. Thomas . . . . .    | 1884 | 1884 |

## CLASS OF 1885.

|                               |      |      |
|-------------------------------|------|------|
| William Grether . . . . .     | 1885 | 1885 |
| Luther P. Gross . . . . .     | 1885 | 1885 |
| *Morris Z. Hittel . . . . .   | 1885 | 1885 |
| H. O. Joerris . . . . .       | 1885 | 1885 |
| Raymond R. Lackey . . . . .   | 1885 | 1885 |
| William E. Ludwick . . . . .  | 1885 | 1885 |
| Israel Rothenberger . . . . . | 1885 | 1885 |
| Addison C. Snyder . . . . .   | 1885 | 1885 |
| Solomon U. Snyder . . . . .   | 1885 | 1885 |

## CLASS OF 1886.

|                                  |      |      |
|----------------------------------|------|------|
| Alfred G. Berkey . . . . .       | 1886 | 1886 |
| Henry Dieckman . . . . .         | 1886 | 1886 |
| Frederick H. Keller . . . . .    | 1886 | 1886 |
| John A. Ketrow . . . . .         | 1886 | 1886 |
| Gustavus H. Martinke . . . . .   | 1888 | 1888 |
| George E. Metger . . . . .       | 1886 | 1886 |
| Solomon W. Seemann . . . . .     | 1886 | 1886 |
| William E. Shaley . . . . .      | 1886 | 1886 |
| Jacob P. Stahl . . . . .         | 1886 | 1886 |
| Julius Aug. Toensmeier . . . . . | 1886 | 1886 |

## CLASS OF 1887.

|                              |      |      |
|------------------------------|------|------|
| John A. Danner . . . . .     | 1888 | 1888 |
| Henry S. Gekeler . . . . .   | 1887 | 1887 |
| William G. Gerlach . . . . . |      |      |
| Andrew Hocker . . . . .      | 1887 | 1887 |
| Louis C. Martin . . . . .    | 1887 | 1887 |
| *Adolph J. Meyer . . . . .   | 1887 | 1887 |
| David A. Parks . . . . .     | 1887 | 1887 |

## NAMES. LICENSED. ORDAINED.

|                            |      |      |
|----------------------------|------|------|
| Bechtolt Ruf . . . . .     | 1887 | 1887 |
| Reuben F. Shultz . . . . . | 1887 | 1887 |
| David A. Winter . . . . .  | 1887 | 1887 |

## CLASS OF 1888.

|                                |      |      |
|--------------------------------|------|------|
| Morris H. Brensinger . . . . . | 1889 | 1889 |
| Edwin C. Hibshman . . . . .    | 1888 | 1888 |
| Charles E. Miller . . . . .    | 1890 | 1890 |
| George A. Snyder . . . . .     | 1888 | 1888 |
| William H. Tussing . . . . .   | 1888 | 1888 |
| Elmer E. Weller . . . . .      | 1890 | 1890 |

## CLASS OF 1889.

|                             |      |      |
|-----------------------------|------|------|
| Henry L. Beam . . . . .     | 1889 | 1889 |
| Daniel N. Frantz . . . . .  | 1889 | 1889 |
| Henry Gramm . . . . .       | 1889 | 1889 |
| Conrad Cassel . . . . .     | 1889 | 1889 |
| Albert H. Zechiel . . . . . | 1889 | 1889 |

## CLASS OF 1890.

|                            |      |      |
|----------------------------|------|------|
| Henry S. Bailey . . . . .  | 1890 | 1890 |
| Frederick Emmer . . . . .  | 1890 | 1890 |
| Noah A. Ernst . . . . .    | 1890 | 1890 |
| Benjamin H. Roth . . . . . | 1890 | 1890 |
| Joseph C. Smith . . . . .  | 1890 | 1890 |

## CLASS OF 1891.

|                             |      |      |
|-----------------------------|------|------|
| Irwin M. Beaver . . . . .   | 1891 | 1891 |
| Jacob D. Buehrer . . . . .  | 1892 | 1892 |
| Charles F. Dewitz . . . . . | 1893 | 1893 |
| James S. Keppel . . . . .   | 1891 | 1891 |
| Morgan A. Peters . . . . .  | 1891 | 1891 |
| Albert Schoepp . . . . .    | 1891 | 1891 |

## CLASS OF 1892.

|                                 |      |      |
|---------------------------------|------|------|
| Thomas H. Sonnedecker . . . . . | 1892 |      |
| Parley E. Zartman . . . . .     | 1892 | 1892 |

## CLASS OF 1893.

|                              |      |      |
|------------------------------|------|------|
| Clement L. Alspach . . . . . | 1893 | 1893 |
| Albert C. Derr . . . . .     | 1893 | 1893 |
| Otto C. Renter . . . . .     | 1893 | 1893 |
| John A. Vinton . . . . .     |      |      |
| Harvey L. Weltmer . . . . .  | 1893 | 1893 |

## CLASS OF 1894.

|                                  |      |      |
|----------------------------------|------|------|
| John W. Belser . . . . .         | 1894 | 1894 |
| John H. Bosch . . . . .          |      |      |
| I. U. Ellsworth Kunkle . . . . . | 1894 | 1894 |
| Samuel E. Neikirk . . . . .      | 1894 | 1894 |
| Scott V. Rohrbaugh . . . . .     | 1894 | 1894 |
| Sylvanus S. Snyder . . . . .     | 1894 | 1894 |
| Charles E. Stoner . . . . .      | 1894 | 1894 |
| John E. Traeger . . . . .        | 1894 | 1894 |

NOTE.—This Register of the Students or Alumni of Heidelberg Theological Seminary was prepared with much care and labor, but because of some deficiencies and indefiniteness in the early records and catalogues, there may be a few errors in names and dates. The purpose and aim, however, have been to make it as complete and correct as possible. There were other young men connected with the seminary as students for

## NECROLOGY.

*Ministers of the Reformed Church in the United States who have died during the year intervening between September 1, 1893, and August 31, 1894.*

REV. OSWALD E. ACCOLA, son of Rev. Dr. O. J. Accola and wife Joanna, *nee* Scheneman, was born at Ashford, Wis., January 29, 1865, and died at New Philadelphia, O., May 13, 1894, aged 29 years, 3 months and 14 days. Baptized March 2, 1865, and confirmed in Dayton, O., March 21, 1880. Educated at Calvin College, Mission House, and Theological Seminary, Lancaster, Pa. Licensed by St. John's Classis at Waynesburg, O., May 26, 1888, and ordained at New Philadelphia, Ohio, Nov. 2, of same year. After assisting for a short time Rev. Dr. J. G. Zahner, who was in precarious health, he accepted a call from the Reformed Church at Denver, Col., where he remained nine months, and then became pastor at Humboldt, Neb. Here his labors were arduous, and in a few years his health became impaired and he resigned. Then after a brief sojourn with his parents at Chicago, he, with the hope of recruiting, went to New Philadelphia, O., but his hope was not realized. His condition grew worse, and illness extended through three years, and for the last twenty-two months he was confined to bed, enduring at times great suffering. All was done that medical skill could devise and loving hands could do, but all in vain. He had been united in marriage August 26, 1891, with Miss Matilda Senhauser, who was constant in her helpful attention and heroic devotion to his wants, and who survives him. He was a gifted and promising young man, thoroughly equipped educationally and graciously for his chosen calling. Amid his physical sufferings and weakness, he remained clear in mind, calm in spirit, and fully conscious to the last, and passed away in peace and hope of a blessed immortality.

REV. JACOB BOLLENBACHER was born at Kirchroth, Rhein-province, Prussia, July 25, 1847, and died at Georgetown, Iowa, November 17, 1893, aged 46 years, 3 months and 22 days. His childhood and early youth were spent in his native country. In 1868 he emigrated to America, and in subsequent years was active in Sunday-school work and in conducting devotional services, giving some attention to reading and study privately. In 1878 he entered the Mission House, and prosecuted his theological studies about eighteen months. In 1879 he was licensed and ordained, and as pastor served the following charges: Belvidere, Tenn., 1879-1885; Second Church, Chicago, Ill., 1885-1886; Chilton, Wis., 1886-1890; Elmore, Wis., 1890-1893; Hope Church, Georgetown, Iowa, June, 1893, until about September. Though in failing health for nearly a year, he continued preaching up to within two months of his death. He was married

a longer or shorter period, but who for some cause or reason "dropped out," and, as far as is known, never entered the ministry.

Those of the Alumni who have *died*, after having been invested with the functions of the ministry, as far as known at present, are, as alphabetically here arranged, the following ministers: John Blaetgen, George A. Fickes, Tillman Grosshuesch, Frederick P. Hartmetz, Austin Henry, William Herr, Morris Z. Hittel, Henry K. Hoffman, Henry D. Houtz (licentiate), Charles W. Hoyman, Peter Joerris, David W. Kelly, Simon Nevin L. Kessler, John B. Kniest, Eberhard Kuhlen, Jacob M. Le Fevre, James Leibert, Jacob V. Lerch, Adolph J. Meyer, Robert O. Miller (licentiate), Frederick Moyer (licentiate), Martin Mueller, Peter Nickert, James Reinhart, Cyrus H. Reiter, Philip Roser, Frederick C. Schwartz, John J. Stoner, Peter Tendick, Francis Wolff and Amos F. Zartman.

April 11, 1868, to Miss Catharine Becker, who with six children survives him. He was a devoted, faithful and efficient minister of the gospel, having passed through trials and much self-denial to his blessed rest.

REV. JOHN H. BUSER was born in Frederick County, Md., December 5, 1826, and died at Coneville, Iowa, December 18, 1893, aged 67 years and 13 days. After a common school education, he studied theology privately. He was licensed in May, 1850, and ordained in 1852 by Miami Classis. He served the following pastoral charges: Shelby, O., 1850-1853; Kinnickinnick, O., 1853-1859; Oskaloosa, Iowa, 1859-1869; Clifton, Iowa, 1870-1874; Coneville, Iowa, 1875-1886; Fort Seneca, Ohio, 1886-1888; Leighton, Iowa, 1888-1893. From spring of 1893 to the time of his death, without charge, because of failing health. United in marriage September 22, 1851, with Miss Margaret D. Lennox, and in this union had ten children, seven of whom survive him. His wife preceded him in death nine years. He was a consecrated and faithful Christian man, and a devoted, earnest and self-denying minister, doing an extensive and successful missionary work in Iowa, where the greater part of his ministry was spent. He passed through trials and labors to his blessed rest.

REV. SIMON K. GROSS was born in Lehigh County, Pa., December 9, 1829, and died at Chicago, Ill., September 24, 1893, aged 63 years, 9 months and 15 days. He was reared on a farm, but from early youth religiously inclined, studious, taste for reading, and taught school several years. Entered the High School at Allentown, Pa., studying Latin and Greek in connection with theology for four years under the direction of Rev. Christian R. Kessler. Then studied privately another year under the supervision of Rev. Jos. S. Dubbs, D. D. He was licensed by East Penna. Classis in the spring of 1854, and preached as a licentiate until 1855 when he was ordained. Served the following charges: 1854-1855; Zion's, 1855-1858; Schlichter's, 1859-1893, including Zion's 1859-1870, and Ridge Valley 1859-1890. His pastorate extended to thirty-nine years, during which time he preached 2,299 regular sermons and 672 funeral sermons, baptized 1,076, confirmed 375 and married 340 couple. Married twice: to Miss Mary Ann Wolf, August 4, 1857, and to Miss Maria Hartzell, April 6, 1866. He was a sincere and devoted Christian, fair preacher, good pastor and faithful minister of Christ. Buried at Schlichter's Church. Large concourse of people at funeral, twenty ministers, two hundred and sixty-five teams present.

REV. WILLIAM A. HELFRICH, D. D., son of Rev. John Helfrich and his wife Salome, was born at Weisenburg, Lehigh Co., Pa., August 20, 1827, and died at Fogelsville, Pa., March 17, 1894, aged 66 years, 6 months and 27 days. Baptized September 6, 1827, and confirmed in the Ziegel Church in 1841. Educated in the parochial school, and by scholarly instructors in the parental home and at the Academy at Weisenburg. He continued his studies, including Latin and Greek, the sciences, history and theology, for a period of about ten years, and developed into a thorough scholar. In 1845 he was examined and ordained by East Pennsylvania Classis, and removed to Reading; and besides preaching to his father's charge he also supplied the congregations at Ephrata, Tamaqua and Mahoney Valley. After the death of his father in 1852, he was unanimously elected as his successor in the old Ziegel Charge, consisting of the Ziegel, Longswamp, Heidelberg, Lynn, Lowhill and Weisenburg congregations. In 1855 he settled at Fogelsville, which was centrally located in the charge, and continued to reside there until the close of life. He was greatly beloved by his people and highly esteemed in the community, being a sincere Christian, an instructive preacher, and wielded a facal pen. Besides furnishing numerous articles for the *Hausfreund*, he was the author of a volume of sermons and of sketches of funeral sermons, a history of the Helfrich family in America in connection with a history of the congregations served by the grandfather, father and son for a period of 120 years, life sketches of the Pennsylvania German ministry, and an explanation of the Book of Revelation. The degree of D. D. was conferred upon him by Heidelberg College in 1870. He united in marriage August 1, 1852, with Miss Amanda H. Fogel, who with four sons survives him. His funeral took place the 21st at the Ziegel

Church, where in the adjoining cemetery his remains were laid to rest. The results of his ministry were as follows: baptized 4,126, confirmed 2,621, married 1,000 couples, and officiated at 1,600 funerals. The contributions of his charge for benevolence up to 1882 amounted to \$13,546.

REV. JOHN C. HENSEL was born at Shepherdstown, Virginia, (now West Virginia) March 29, 1809, and died at Mt. Crawford, Virginia, March 29, 1894, aged 85 years. Having been reared in a Christian and church loving family, he in youth became impressed with a call to the gospel ministry, and about 1832 entered the High School and Seminary at York, Pa. During 1835 he completed his studies. In 1836 he was licensed and in 1837 ordained. His first charge was in Augusta Co., Va., being successor to Rev. John Brown, and resided at Greenville, Va. Served this charge twenty-two and one-half years. In 1858 he succeeded Rev. Daniel Feets as pastor of congregations in Rockingham County, residing at Mt. Crawford, Va., and served this twenty-two and one-half years. He retired in 1880 from the active duties of the ministry because of infirmity of age, yet continued to take in the affairs of the church. He was true and faithful in the trust committed to him, and abundant in labors. As a preacher he was plain, practical and clear in his expositions of God's Word, with grace and unction in the application of the truth. Beloved and honored he departed in peace to his blessed reward. Laid to rest in the cemetery at Mt. Crawford. He had been married in 1831 to Miss Annie Powell, who and his only daughter preceded him to the better world. In later years he was left in the care of his granddaughter, who tenderly cared for him to the close of life.

REV. BERNARD R. HUECKER was born at Rounthal, Chur-Hesse, Germany, February 25, 1843, and died at Lennox, South Dakota, March 31, 1094, aged 51 years, 1 month and 6 days. He was educated in the schools of his native place, and in 1864 entered the Barmer Mission House to prosecute his higher studies. He was early impressed with the idea of the ministry among the heathen, but, as it seems providentially, his mind was directed to the need of ministers among the Reformed congregations in America, and he came hither in 1887. Studied awhile with Rev. Dr. H. J. Ruetenik at Cleveland, and taught awhile in Sandusky. Then completed his studies in the Mission House, Wis. In 1869 he was ordained, and became pastor of the following charges: Norwood, Minn., 1869-'70; Alma, Wis., 1870-'73; La Crosse, Wis., 1873-'75; Covington, Ky., 1875-'80; Waukon, Iowa, 1880-'86; Manitowoc, 1886-'89; Denver, Col., 1889-'93; Lennox, S. D., January 1894 to March 31. Two Sundays before his death he yet preached twice. He was a modest and devoted Christian, and a faithful and consecrated minister, being a conscientious and hard worker, and amid much self-denial accomplished good results in the service of the Lord. He departed in peace and hope of eternal life, and is survived by his widow, two sons and one daughter. The youngest son expects in due time to enter the ministry. The funeral took place April 4.

REV. AMOS H. KREMER, D. D., was born in Lancaster County, Pa., November 3, 1814, and died at Carlisle, Pa., May 8, 1894, aged 79 years, 6 months and 5 days. In 1834 he entered the High School at York, Pa., and subsequently completed his literary and theological studies at Marshall College and Theological Seminary at Mercersburg, Pa., graduating from the latter institution in 1839. He was licensed and ordained November 7, 1839, and served the following pastoral charges in Pennsylvania, viz: Shippensburg, 1839-'46; Carlisle, 1846-'61; First Church, Lancaster, 1861-'77; Carlisle, 1877-'94. He was in the ministry nearly fifty-five years. He was an humble and devoted Christian, in whom was no guile, and a consecrated, active and successful servant of the Master, teaching by precept and example. His attachment to, love for and faith in the church of his choice were strong and abiding; and he took a deep interest and just pride in all her institutions. He was respected and beloved, and his labors were blessed, resulting in excellent and permanent fruitage. And after a long and successful ministry, he passed away in peace. The honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon him by Franklin and Marshall College in 1872. He

was married November 26, 1839, by Rev. Dr. Fred Aug. Rauch, to Miss Rebecca Kieffer, who with three sons and one daughter survives him. Funeral at Carlisle, Pa., on 11th inst., attended with appropriate services.

REV. CHARLES KUSS was born in Hamburg, Germany, October 23, 1816, and died in Rochester, N. Y., September 11, 1893, aged 76 years, 10 months and 18 days. He was educated in the common schools of Hamburg, and then at the Mission House in Berlin. When he had completed his studies he was sent as a missionary to Russia, where he labored with success. After some years he returned to Germany. In 1848 he was sent by Dr. Gossner to America to labor among the Germans. He was licensed and ordained in 1848 by Miami Classis. He was married February 23, 1849, to Miss Barbara Harr, who with six daughters survives him, two sons having preceded him to the eternal world. He served the following charges: Louisville, Ky., 1848-53; Sandusky, O., 1853-57; meanwhile organized congregations at Monroeville, Huron and Kelley's Island; Rochester, N. Y., 1871-73; Buffalo, N. Y., 1873-'85; and without charge residing at Rochester, N. Y., 1885-93. He was an earnest, faithful and efficient minister, and after a successful ministry of forty-five years he laid his armor by and passed to his eternal rest.

REV. JULIUS LANGE was born at Schoeller, Prussia, February 18, 1841, and while on a health recruiting visit to his native country died of consumption January 11, 1894, aged 52 years, 10 months and 24 days. He received a careful Christian training in his parental home, was educated in the village schools, and subsequently in the Seminary for Teachers at Dusseldorf, from which he graduated at the age of twenty with the highest honors. He was appointed a teacher in this seminary, where he taught fourteen years as *oberlehrer*. Then resigned and prepared for missionary work. And having come to America, he in 1876 entered the Mission House in Wisconsin as student and teacher, and, though well versed in Biblical Theology, Church History and Exegesis, took a theological course. In 1878 he was ordained, and took charge of the Meridian congregation near Stafford, Oregon, laboring there thirteen and one-half years, and supplying other points. In 1882 his health failed, and in order to regain the same he went to Germany; and having improved he returned in 1893 and resumed his labors at Stafford with renewed zeal. But becoming overburdened with work, his health again failed, and he resigned in March, 1893, and again went to Germany. His desire and hope as to recovery were, however, not realized, and he had to yield to the inevitable. He was scholarly, thorough and accurate in his teaching and preaching, and a truly spiritual and devoted man. His mind and heart centered in the kingdom of God, and he lived and labored faithfully and with great self-denial to advance the cause of Christ and to secure the salvation of souls. He was successful, and after a life of toil and affliction departed in peace to his blessed rest.

REV. PHILIP SCHAFF, D. D., LL.D., was born at Coire, Switzerland, January 1, 1819, and died in New York, October 20, 1893, aged 74 years, 9 months and 19 days. He possessed natural talents of a high order, and these were developed under Christian influences and excellent educational advantages—literary, historical, scientific and theological. His education was thorough, varied and extensive, which he received in several of the universities of Germany; and because of his superior scholarship he passed an examination in 1841 for a professorship in Berlin, where he lectured from 1842 to 1844. In 1844 on a call from our church he came to America, and became a Professor in our Theological Seminary, then located at Mercersburg and now at Lancaster, Pa. In 1863 he resigned this position and removed to New York, where he found better facilities for the preparation of his forthcoming works. In 1870 he was elected Professor of Sacred Literature and in 1887 of Church History in Union Theological Seminary of New York, and continued as such until in 1893, when he was Professor Emeritus. He was a sincere Christian, and distinguished for variety learning, aptitude of teaching and consecrated to his work. He was a man of many labors, occupied many prominent and important positions, and ranked as the great church historian. He was married to Miss Mary Schley, of Frederick, Md., who with one daughter and two sons survives him.

REV. ALBERT RHODES THOMPSON, son of William and Catharine Thompson was born in Blair County, Pa., February 10, 1851, and after lingering afflictions died at Collegeville, Pa., June 22, 1894, aged 43 years, 4 months and 12 days. Baptized in infancy, and in early youth he became seriously impressed respecting his soul's salvation, and after a long conflict found peace in Christ. Became variously engaged. The idea of the ministry wrought upon him, and he yielded to the claims of God. He entered Ursinus College, August 31, 1874, as an irregular student, and continued his studies five years in the college and theological department. He was licensed by Philadelphia Classis, June 9, 1879, and ordained October 5, 1879. Served the following pastoral charges:—Hummelstown, Pa., 1879-'81; Chester county 1881-'83; Mt. Bethel, Northampton Co., 1883-'88; Rockingham, Va., 1888-'90. During the last few years of his life he was greatly afflicted, unable to preach, and endured much suffering, residing at Collegeville, Pa. He was victim of various forms of paralysis, and the immediate cause of his death was paralysis of the heart. He was an earnest and active minister, and an attractive preacher. His labors and sufferings have ended in eternal rest, while a large and dependent family survive him. His funeral took place on the 27th and his remains were interred in the cemetery of Trinity Reformed Church at Collegeville.

REV. AARON WANNER, D. D., was born in Skippack Township, Montgomery County, Pa., June 14, 1819, and died in York, Pa., June 23, 1894, aged 75 years and 9 days. He was reared under Christian influence in the family, his parents being members of the Wenz Reformed Church, and after proper religious instruction was received into communion with the church. In 1839 he commenced his studies in Marshall College at Mercersburg, Pa., and after a somewhat irregular course in the college and seminary he was licensed to preach by the Eastern Synod at Winchester, Va., October 17, 1843, and soon after ordained. He served the following pastoral charges:—McConnellburg, Pa., 1843-'46; Navarre, O., 1846-'47, eighteen months; Washingtonville, O., 1847-'57; Germantown, O., 1857-'59 two years; Grindstone Hill, Pa., 1859, six months; Germantown, O., 1860-'62, two and a half years; Bearcreek (Salem) and Elk Creek (Zion's) congregations 1862-'65, two and a half years, residing at Germantown; Cumberland Mission, Md., 1865-'68; Heidelberg Church, York, Pa., 1869-'74; Financial Agent for Ursinus College, six months; York Springs, 1875-'82; Crentz Creek, 1882-'94. During his ministry he organized ten new congregations, and erected eight new churches in his charges. Wrote and published several useful books, and frequently contributed articles for our church papers. The degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon him in 1879 by Ursinus College. He possessed commendable talents, and used them to advance the cause of Christ and for the welfare of the people he served, proving himself a devoted, earnest and faithful servant of the Lord. And after varied trials and labors he has passed to his rest. Interment in Prospect Hill Cemetery, York, Pa. In September, 1844, he united in marriage with Miss Rebecca Miller, and in this union they had ten children. His widow and five children survive.

REV. ISRAEL S. WEISZ, D. D., son of Rev. George Weisz, one of the pioneer fathers of the West, was born in Lancaster, Ohio, November 27, 1821, and died in York, Pa., January 15, 1894, aged 72 years, 1 month and 19 days. His early educational training was received in the public schools in Lancaster, and as a young man continued his studies at Marshall College at Mercersburg, Pa., and graduated from the Theological Seminary there in 1842. He was licensed and ordained in 1843 by Lancaster Classis of Ohio Synod and served the following charges: Newville, Pa., 1847-'49; Lithopolis, Ohio, 1849-'59; Dismissed June 20, 1860, West Susquehanna Classis; Nittany Valley, Pa., 1859-'61; Mifflinburg, Pa., 1861-'65; Williamsport, Pa., 1865-'68; Bethel, Pa., 1868-'74; Paradise (York Co., Pa.) 1874-'94. He was married twice—first in 1844 to Miss Elizabeth Sell Foltz, and secondly in 1872 (or '73) to Mrs. Emma L. Troxel. He possessed force of mind, scholarly attainments, and energy of character. In his preaching he was fluent, clear and impressive, being equally ready in English and German. He was a faithful and earnest worker, and did an extensive and substantial work. His labors are ended and he has passed

to his reward. His funeral took place on the 18th inst., and his remains were laid to rest in Prospect Hill Cemetery.

REV. GEORGE WILLIAM WELKER, D. D., son of Daniel and Anna May Welker, was born about four miles south of Greencastle, Franklin County, Pa., November 3, 1817, and died at Lamont, N. C., July 9, 1894, aged 76 years, 8 months and 6 days. He was educated at the "Old Academy" and High School at Mercersburg, Pa., and at Marshall College, from which he graduated September 25, 1839, and from the Theological Seminary at Mercersburg, September 29, 1841. Accepted a call, dated December 28, 1841, from the Guilford charge in North Carolina, and was licensed and ordained by North Carolina Classis March 27, 1842. Served this charge with success 51 years, and in a general way did much to promote the interests and permanency of the Reformed Church in that classis and state. He also held positions of honor and trust, both in church and state, and discharged the duties thereof with fidelity and efficiency. A peculiar and trying episode in his life was experienced during twelve years (1860-'73), caused by the secession movement and hostilities of war, affecting every department of life, and resulting in various depredations, social disorder, and insecurity of life and property. But he remained true to his calling and firm to the trust imposed. He was a man of intellectual force, scholarly attainments, and energy of character, being a devoted Christian, an instructive preacher and a faithful pastor. His ministry was a successful one producing excellent and permanent results. His life-work contributed largely to the existence and perpetuity of the Reformed Church in the Classis and State of North Carolina. But after a long and prosperous ministry he felt himself constrained to retire because of the increasing infirmities of age, yet evinced a deep interest in the prosperity of the church to the close of life. On Monday evening July 9, 1894, he gently fell asleep in Jesus, and "at a full age" was gathered unto the fathers. His funeral took place on the 11th at the Mt. Hope Church, and his remains were laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery to await the resurrection of the just.

REV. NICHOLAS WIERS, son of William Wiers, was born at Emden, Germany, July 17, 1840, and died at Milltown, N. J., January 7, 1894, aged 53 years, 3 months and 17 days. He descended from a sea-faring family, and followed for some years a sea-faring life, visiting different parts of the world and frequently coming to America touching New York and Baltimore. In 1871 after being in this country some time and variously engaged, he returned to his native land, but soon after returned to America. During this voyage he fully decided to prepare for the gospel ministry. He therefore entered the Mission House at Franklin, Wis., and prosecuted his studies with this end in view. In April 1873 he was licensed and ordained by Miami Classis at Hamilton, O. He was an assistant to Rev. C. Saure in Cincinnati about six months, and then served the following charges: Evansville, Indiana, 1873-'75; New Bavaria, O., 1875-'81; Fourth Reformed Church, Cleveland, 1881-'88; Milltown, N. J., 1888-'94. Married August 27, 1873, to Miss Aggie Fleeker, who with one daughter survives him. His remains were laid to rest on the 10th in Elmwood Cemetery near New Brunswick, N. J. He was a faithful, efficient and successful minister, and has passed to his reward. While he was assistant pastor in Cincinnati, his youngest brother was on a passage across the ocean to America, but beyond Sandy Hook he fell overboard and drowned.

NOTE.—The death of Rev. Charles Becker and Rev. Jeriah S. Shadé also occurred during the current year, but the facts relating to their life and ministry could not be obtained in time—before going to press—to be included in our necrology. We can only here add that Rev. Becker was an efficient minister for many years in eastern Pennsylvania, but because of infirmity of age retired some years ago and has since resided in Philadelphia, where he died July 15, 1894, age 77 years. Rev. Shadé was for a number of years in the active ministry both east and west, but also because of the enfeebled effect of age relinquished its practical duties and settled in Philadelphia, where he died July 31, 1894, aged 75 years.

## \*A List of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Reformed Church in United States.

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|----------------------|------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|----------|
| Abilene, Kan.        | Rev. A. S. Dechant.                                  | 25                       | Cleveland, O.                    | 25       | Lizzie Hartz, 300 Belden St.                | 35                       | Cleveland, O.                                    | 20       |
| Ada, Ok.             | Rev. C. L. Alspach.                                  | 15                       | Cleveland, O.                    | 15       | Junior                                      | Junior                   | Goshen, Ind.                                     | 35       |
| Adams, Pa.           | St. Paul's.                                          | 36                       | Cleveland, O.                    | 36       | Brkln'st Dr. H. J. Fuetenik, Mt. Vernon St. | 31                       | Greencastle, Pa.                                 | 16       |
| Adams, Pa.           | St. Paul's.                                          | 37                       | Cleveland, O.                    | 37       | Catharine Yunghaus.                         | 8                        | Greenville, Pa.                                  | 15       |
| Akron, O.            | Rev. David G. Kline.                                 | 20                       | Clearport, O.                    | 20       | Maggie Short.                               | 12                       | Greenville, Pa.                                  | 15       |
| Akron, O.            | Miss Ethie E. Foltz.                                 | 80                       | Collegeville, Pa.                | 25       | Emma Verkes.                                | 5                        | Shiloh.                                          | 5        |
| Akron, O.            | Eleanore Jasper.                                     | 105                      | Collegeville, Pa.                | 31       | Junior                                      | Junior                   | Shiloh.                                          | 20       |
| Akron, O.            | (Jr.) Minnie Bauer, 125 N. Broadway                  | 73                       | Colombiana, O.                   | 20       | Mrs. J. H. Bornberger.                      | 8                        | Trinity.                                         | 22       |
| Altoona, Pa.         | Christ.                                              | 50                       | Colombiana, O.                   | 50       | (Junior) Mrs. J. H. Bornberger.             | 52                       | Trinity.                                         | 22       |
| Altoona, Pa.         | Junior.                                              | 60                       | Columbus, O.                     | 35       | Wilson Av. Rev. S. Seaman, 1261 Fair Ave.   | 27                       | Second.                                          | 22       |
| Altoona, Pa.         | Trinity.                                             | 80                       | Columbus, O.                     | 35       | Baster R. Rohrer.                           | 1                        | First.                                           | 22       |
| Alamont, Ill.        | Rev. Lewis F. Robb.                                  | 20                       | Columbus Junction, Ia. St. Paul. | 20       | Rev. H. M. Herman, D. D.                    | 18                       | Zion's.                                          | 27       |
| Alpina, O.           | Rev. B. Alspach.                                     | 23                       | Curtisville, Pa.                 | 23       | Allen T. Miller, 1638 Home Ave.             | 14                       | Fourth.                                          | 14       |
| Alpha, O.            | Horace Ankey, Jr.                                    | 4                        | Darvill, Pa.                     | 2        | Mrs. J. M. Leferve.                         | 7                        | Dayton.                                          | 12       |
| Alpha, O.            | D. H. Hartman, Alpha, O.                             | 31                       | Darvill, Pa.                     | 2        | David's.                                    | 12                       | Shiloh.                                          | 22       |
| Allen Center, Kan.   | Etta Crowell, Iola.                                  | 13                       | Davison, O.                      | 8        | Rev. G. W. Kersteier.                       | 5                        | Trinity.                                         | 22       |
| Alexandria, Pa.      | Christ.                                              | 80                       | Dayton, O.                       | 8        | Rev. Chas. E. Miller.                       | 89                       | Second.                                          | 22       |
| Albion, O.           | Lizzie Fouse.                                        | 21                       | Dayton, O.                       | 3        | Rev. B. S. Stern, (not C. E.)               | 75                       | First.                                           | 22       |
| Apple Creek, O.      | St. John's.                                          | 21                       | Dayton, O.                       | 3        | Baster R. Rohrer.                           | 63                       | Zion's.                                          | 22       |
| Apple Creek, O.      | L. A. Sigrist.                                       | 21                       | Dayton, O.                       | 4        | Rev. H. M. Herman, D. D.                    | 18                       | First.                                           | 22       |
| Apprentice, Pa.      | St. Peter's, Ida, M. Brown.                          | 25                       | Dayton, O.                       | 4        | Allen T. Miller, 1638 Home Ave.             | 14                       | Fourth.                                          | 14       |
| Arendtsville, Pa.    | St. Peter's.                                         | 25                       | Dayton, O.                       | 25       | Mrs. J. M. Leferve.                         | 7                        | Dayton.                                          | 12       |
| Baltimore, Md.       | Faith.                                               | 36                       | Dayton, O.                       | 36       | David's.                                    | 12                       | David's.                                         | 12       |
| Baltimore, Md.       | Faith.                                               | 40                       | Delaware, O.                     | 40       | Rev. T. M. Hoffman.                         | 18                       | St. Matt.                                        | 22       |
| Bangor, Pa.          | St. John's.                                          | 50                       | Dushore, Pa.                     | 50       | Laura Ponneroy.                             | 23                       | Zion's.                                          | 22       |
| Bangor, Pa.          | Howard Eyer.                                         | 43                       | Easton, Pa.                      | 9        | Julia Abel O. N. Second St.                 | 52                       | First.                                           | 22       |
| Barberton, O.        | Mane C. Sellers.                                     | 74                       | Easton, Pa.                      | 7        | St. Mark's.                                 | 50                       | St. Mark's.                                      | 50       |
| Bedford, Pa.         | H. B. Frase.                                         | 15                       | Easton, Pa.                      | 7        | Rev. T. O. Stein.                           | 37                       | Grace.                                           | 37       |
| Bellevue, O.         | Rev. R. L. Geobart.                                  | 20                       | East Vincent, Pa.                | 20       | Rev. O. P. Steckel.                         | 50                       | Salem.                                           | 37       |
| Bethlehem, Pa.       | St. Paul's.                                          | 24                       | Elizabethville, Pa.              | 24       | H. W. Stine.                                | 21                       | Enrikens, Pa.                                    | 21       |
| Bethelvile, O.       | Christ.                                              | 42                       | Enrikens, Pa.                    | 24       | St. Matt.                                   | 21                       | James Creek.                                     | 28       |
| Bloomsburg, Pa.      | Lbbie Dunhaur.                                       | 20                       | Etna, O.                         | 9        | Irma Lange.                                 | 22                       | Fairfield.                                       | 25       |
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| Hoffmeier, Henry W., Middletown, Md.                  | E68   |                                     |       |
| Hoffmeier, Thomas F., Middletown, Md.                 | E63   |                                     |       |
| Hofford, Dr. William R., Allentown, Pa.               | 0E68  |                                     |       |
| Holliger, Henry, Alliance, O.                         | MH84  |                                     |       |
| Holshouser, Allen R., Lyons, Kansas                   | H81   |                                     |       |
| Holshouser, Harvey A. M., Conover, N. C.              | 94    |                                     |       |
| Horn, Alfred P., Hellertown, Pa.                      | H83   |                                     |       |
| Horn, William A., Bridgewater, Va.                    |       |                                     |       |
| Horstmeier, W. F., 1317 Sullivan Av., St. Louis, Mo.  | OH78  |                                     |       |
| Hottenstein, Aaron R., Mahanoy, Pa.                   | 0E62  |                                     |       |
| Houpt, Wm. C., Venus, Pa.                             | 64    |                                     |       |
| House, Geo. A., Landisburg, Pa.                       | H82   |                                     |       |
| Houtz, Alfred, Orangeville, Pa.                       | H69   |                                     |       |
| Hoy, Wm. E., Sendai, Japan                            | E85   |                                     |       |
| Huber, Simon M. K., Skippackville, Pa.                | 0E76  |                                     |       |
| Huber, Thomas A., Hazleton, Luz co., Pa.              | 0E76  |                                     |       |
| Huecker, John C., New Cassel, Wis.                    | 0MH75 |                                     |       |
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| Huellhorst, Frederick, Yutan, Neb.                    |       | OH63                                |       |
| Hunsicker, John D., Cullsville, Pa.                   |       | E94                                 |       |
| Hustedt, C. F. W., Detroit, Mich.                     |       | 0MH77                               |       |
|                                                       |       |                                     |       |
| Iden, Alpheus, Denver, Ind.                           |       | 93                                  |       |
| Ihle, Jacob, Loyal Oak, Summit co., O.                |       | OH78                                |       |
| Ingle, John, Blowing Rock, N. C.                      |       | 65                                  |       |
| Irvine, William M., Ic., Mercersburg, Pa.             |       | E94                                 |       |
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| Janett, John J., 612 Erie St., Sheboygan, Wis.        |       | 069                                 |       |
| Joeris, H. O., Reeseville, Wis.                       |       | H85                                 |       |
| Johnson, Warren J., Lebanon, Pa.                      |       | E85                                 |       |
| Jones, David M., Lisbon, Iowa                         |       | E93                                 |       |
| Jones, Harry E., McConnelstown, Pa.                   |       | U93                                 |       |
| Joss, Nicholas, Willow Springa, Mo.                   |       | 89                                  |       |
| Jurany, Gustavus, 71 Seely Ave., Cleveland, O.        |       | 90                                  |       |
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| Kaeppli, Jacob, Lake Linden, Mich.                    |       | MH85                                |       |
| Kalbfleisch, Frederick, Haughville, Ind.              |       | MH89                                |       |
| Kaneko, George Kinzo                                  |       | E94                                 |       |
| Kanhe, Augustus, University Place, Lincoln, Neb.      |       | 070                                 |       |
| Kavanaugh, F. Edge, Collegeville, Pa.                 |       |                                     |       |
| Kefauver, Dr. Lewis H. Tiffin, O.                     |       | E54                                 |       |
| Kehl, Charles P., Dushore, Pa.                        |       | U93                                 |       |
| Kehm, Jacob, Sellersville, Pa.                        |       | 0E61                                |       |
| Keifer, A. Marion, Greenville, Pa.                    |       | E89                                 |       |
| Keller, Christian P., Ironton, O.                     |       | 071                                 |       |
| Keller, Dr. Ell., Zionsville, Pa.                     |       | 0E55                                |       |
| Keller, Fred H., Petersburg, O.                       |       | H86                                 |       |
| Keller, Dr. Joseph A., Hartville, O.                  |       | OH71                                |       |
| Keller, Reuben, West Alexandria, O.                   |       | OH77                                |       |
| Kemm, Charles L., Linton, Ind.                        |       | 0MH75                               |       |
| Kemp, Prof. Elwood L., East Stroudsburg, Pa.          |       | 89                                  |       |
| Kendig, Dr. J. M., 1219 Monroe St., Chicago, Ills.    |       | H72                                 |       |
| Keppel, James S., Fremont, O.                         |       | H91                                 |       |
| Kercher, John, Bloomington, Ills.                     |       | 036                                 |       |
| Kern, Andrew, Monticello, Iowa                        |       |                                     |       |
| Kerr, David W., Worthville, Pa.                       |       | E93                                 |       |
| Kerr, Frank L., Penbrook, Pa.                         |       | E94                                 |       |
| Kerschner, George W., Fayette, N. Y.                  |       | E82                                 |       |
| Kerschner, Prof. Jacob B., Emmitsburg, Md.            |       | E62                                 |       |
| Kerschner, Jacob B., Conyngham, Pa.                   |       | E75                                 |       |
| Kerschner, Lewis M., Parrysville, Pa.                 |       | H69                                 |       |
| Kerschner, U. O. H., Sharpsville, Pa.                 |       | E92                                 |       |
| Kerschner, William J., Reading, Pa.                   |       | 0881                                |       |
| Kessler, John M., Mulberry, Ind.                      |       | 0E86                                |       |
| Kessler, Tobias, Allentown, Pa.                       |       | 0E81                                |       |
| Keyser, Dr. Henry A., Mahoney City, Pa.               |       | OH76                                |       |
| Kieffer, Dr. Henry M., Easton, Pa.                    |       | E73                                 |       |
| Kieffer, Prof. John B., (Ic.) Lancaster, Pa.          |       | MER76                               |       |
| Kieffer, Dr. J. Spangler, Hagerstown, Md.             |       | E66                                 |       |
| Kilmer, Harvey E., North Lima, O.                     |       | U92                                 |       |
| King, Hiram, Somerset, Pa.                            |       | E73                                 |       |
| Kirchhefer, Remt, Baxter, Iowa                        |       | 0MH82                               |       |
| Klar, John C., Navarre, O.                            |       | OH82                                |       |
| Klein, David G., Adams, Armstrong co., Pa.            |       | E57                                 |       |
| Klein, Dr. John H., 633 Mechanic St., Louisville, Ky. |       | E57                                 |       |
| Kline, Alpha K., Braddock, Pa.                        |       | E76                                 |       |
| Klinger, Albert, Springboro, O.                       |       | 91                                  |       |
| Klocty, W. A., Belvidere, Tenn.                       |       | 94                                  |       |
| Klopp, Dr. David E., Lebanon, Pa.                     |       | 0E62                                |       |
| Knappenger, J. Wm., Allentown, Pa.                    |       | E76                                 |       |
| Knepper, Benjamin, Wiersburg, Pa.                     |       | 046                                 |       |
| Knepper, Charles, Mansfield Valley, Pa.               |       | 067                                 |       |
| Knie, John, Sauk City, Wis.                           |       | OH56                                |       |
| Knierim, John, Lowry City, Mo.                        |       | 075                                 |       |
| Koehler, William, Berne, Dodge co., Wis.              |       | 088                                 |       |
| Kohl, Peter, Leslie, Fulton, co., O.                  |       | 065                                 |       |
| Kohler, P. S., Crestline, O.                          |       | 0MH84                               |       |
| Kohler, S. Sidney, New Berlin, Pa.                    |       | 078                                 |       |
| Koplins, Dr. Abraham B., Hellertown, Pa.              |       | 0H57                                |       |
| Korbel, Anthony, Plymouth, Wis.                       |       |                                     |       |
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| Korn, William A., Cross Keys, Va.                     |       | 93                                  |       |
| Kosower, Jacob S., New Philadelphia, O.               |       | U93                                 |       |
| Kost, Dr. John, Tiffin, O.                            |       |                                     |       |
| Kovacs, John, 1415 Bluff St., Pittsburgh, Pa.         |       | 91                                  |       |
| Krahn, Albert, La Crosse, Wis.                        |       | 0                                   |       |
| Krampe, Adolph, Rising Sun, Ind.                      |       | MH91                                |       |
| Krebs, Stanley L., Reading, Pa.                       |       | H90                                 |       |
| Krebs, Walter E., Littlestown, Ha.                    |       | E58                                 |       |
| Kremer, Dr. Abner R., Berlin, Pa.                     |       | E59                                 |       |
| Kremer, Ellis N., Harrisburg, Pa.                     |       | E71                                 |       |
| Kriete, Chas. F., 1714 Pren. St., Louisville, Ky.     |       | OH76                                |       |
| Kroh, Daniel, East Saginaw, Mich.                     |       | 0E41                                |       |

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| Kuelling, Dr. John, Fort Wayne, Ind.               | .058   | Martin, Dr. Charles T., Franklin, Wis.                | 062   |
| Kuentzel, William G., Juneau, Wis.                 | .069   | Martin, Louis C., Huntingdon, Ind.                    | 087   |
| Kuerten, —, Haskins, O.                            | .94    | Martinke, Gustavus H., Watertown, Wis.                | MH88  |
| Kuhl, John G., Covington, Ky.                      | .0MH75 | Mase, Silas B., Lake, O.                              | 078   |
| Kuhn, Jacob, Fort Dodge, Iowa                      | .0H83  | Massalsky, Gustavus B., Reynoldsville, Pa.            | .070  |
| Kuhn, Otto, Humboldt, Richardson co., Neb.         | .0MH81 | Matter, Jacob, Ottenheim, Ky.                         | .088  |
| Kuhn, Samuel, Mt. Pleasant Mills, Pa.              | .050   | Matzinger, Isaac, Elsie Rapids, Mich.                 | 0H62  |
| Kunkle, I. U., Ellsworth, Mohican, O.              | .H94   | Mauger, Silas P., Stone Church, Pa.                   | H74   |
| Kurtz, Henry D., Allentown, Pa.                    |        | Mauer, Frederick, Barbine, Neb.                       | .080  |
| Kurtz, Julius C. J., 1014 Penn St., Reading, Pa.   | .0E57  | May, Homer S., Mann's Choice, Pa.                     | E93   |
| Lackey, Raymond R., Payne, Paulding co., O.        | .H85   | May, James B., Bangor, Pa.                            | U87   |
| Lady, Dr. David B., Greenville, Pa.                | .E72   | May, Josiah, Mt. Jackson, Va.                         | E64   |
| Lahr, Louis B. C., Delaware, O.                    | .H81   | Mayer, F., 117 W. Wood St., Youngstown, O.            | 0H84  |
| Lahr, William H., Woodsides, Owen co., Ind.        | .MH92  | Mayer, Lucian J., Forreston, Ill.                     | 0E60  |
| Lake, Orange E., Holton, Kansas.                   | .H65   | Meckel, Sebastian C., Wilkesbarre, Pa.                | .78   |
| Lampe, Lewis T., Jennertown, Pa.                   | .E93   | Meier, Prof. Henry A., Franklin, Wis.                 | 0MH79 |
| Land, Paul H., Baltimore, Md.                      | .U92   | Meixell, Edwin D., Delmont, Pa.                       | E94   |
| Land, Thomas S., Meadville, Pa.                    | .E78   | Meminger, James W., Lancaster, Pa.                    | U86   |
| Landau, G. V. I., Paterson, N. J.                  |        | Mertz, John A., Linfield, Pa.                         | U87   |
| Landis, William H., Orbisonia, Huntingdon co., Pa. | .E93   | Messinger, Silas L., Eureka, Pa.                      | U87   |
| Landis, William M., Beaver Springs, Pa.            | .E64   | Metger, George E., Germano, O.                        | H86   |
| Lauffer, Franklin E., Canfield, O.                 | .E89   | Metzger, Blocadus F., Boundary City, Ind.             | E72   |
| Laury, Silas F., Brodheadsville, Pa.               | .E79   | Meyer, Benjamin M., Elizabethtown, Pa.                | E93   |
| Leader, Daniel H., Elk Lick, Pa.                   | .E79   | Meyer, Ernst R. C., Ashland, O.                       | .80   |
| Leberman, Dr. John J., Louisville, O.              | .0H73  | Meyer, Samuel S., La Camas, Clark co., Wash.          | .87   |
| Leberman, Lawrence D., Philadelphia, Pa.           | .0E46  | Mickly, J. Marion, McKnightstown, Pa.                 | E59   |
| Lefever, David P., Chambersburg, Pa.               | .E74   | Mickley, J. Harvey, Scottsdale, Pa.                   | E89   |
| Lefever, William D., Littlestown, Pa.              | .E64   | Middleton, Elwood W., 1519 Cambridge St., Phila., Pa. | U94   |
| Lehrer, Emil, Hoskins, Wayne co., Neb.             | .MH92  | Miller, Charles E., Dayton, O.                        | H90   |
| Leich, Frederick P., Jackson, Wis.                 | .0MH70 | Miller, Edward D., Hanover, Pa.                       | 0H66  |
| Leinbach, Dr. Aaron S., Reading, Pa.               | .0E48  | Miller, George H., Pottstown, Pa.                     | U89   |
| Leinbach, J. Calvin, Sunbury, Pa.                  | .E77   | Miller, Henry K., Sendai, Japan.                      | E92   |
| Leinbach, J. Heister, Reading, Pa.                 | .0E78  | Miller, J. David, Marysville, Pa.                     | E78   |
| Leinbach, Samuel A., Reading, Pa.                  | .0E67  | Miller, Dr. Jacob O., York, Pa.                       | E50   |
| Leinbach, T. Calvin, Womelsdorf, Pa.               | .0E60  | Miller, Jonathan W., South Easton, Pa.                | E85   |
| Leinbach, Thomas H., Spinnerstown, Pa.             | .E94   | Miller, Newton J., Lancaster, Pa.                     | E81   |
| Leiss, Aaron H., Dillsburg, Pa.                    | .0H74  | Miller, Rufus, Hummelstown, Pa.                       | E86   |
| Leisse, Henry, Orwigsburg, Pa.                     | .U72   | Miller, Simon S., St. Petersburg, Pa.                 | E65   |
| Leithreit, H., Mennno, Dakota.                     |        | Miller, William A., Conneaut, O.                      | H80   |
| Leonard, Dr. Geo. H., Basil, O.                    | .H61   | Mishler, Mahlon H., Pottstown, Pa.                    | 0U76  |
| Leonard, Jacob C., Lexington, N. C.                | .U89   | Mitman, Stewart U., Allentown, Pa.                    | E88   |
| Lepp, A., Morges, Switzerland                      | .071   | Mohr, Franklin J., Quakertown, Pa.                    | .052  |
| Levan, Charles W., 330 E. 20th St., Baltimore, Md. | .H83   | Moore, Dr. Jarius P., Sendai, Japan.                  | 0H78  |
| Levan, Dr. Franklin K., Wilkesbarre, Pa.           | .0E57  | Mosebach, Frederick, Crocker, Iowa.                   | 0E86  |
| Lewis, James R., Sabillasville, Md.                | .82    | Mosser, Dr. Henry, Reading, Pa.                       | .078  |
| Lichliter, William F., Lancaster, Pa.              | .E75   | Motter, Isaac M., Adamstown, Md.                      | MER66 |
| Lienkaemper, Calvin, Edgerton, O.                  | .MH89  | Moyer, John F., Altoona, Pa.                          | F88   |
| Lienkaemper, William, Chicago, Ill.                | .MH93  | Muehlemeier, Albert, Medina, Wis.                     | 0MH92 |
| Liesman, Herman, Glencoe, Oregon.                  |        | Muehlemeier, Dr. Herman A., Franklin, Wis.            | 0H53  |
| Limberg, Chas. A., Butler, Pa.                     | .0H57  | Muehlemeier, Otto, Porter, Wis.                       | MH86  |
| Limbert, George E., Grove City, Pa.                | .E93   | Muellhaupt, Jacob, Salem, Oregon.                     | 0MH72 |
| Lindaman, Francis S., Littlestown, Pa.             | .U72   | Muir, William J., Tremont, Schuylkill co., Pa.        | .E91  |
| Lindaman, John O., Bath, Pa.                       | .U86   | Mull, George F., Lancaster, Pa.                       | MER89 |
| Line, Francis M., Saegerstown, Pa.                 | .E91   | Murphy, Joseph L., Hickory, N. C.                     | .085  |
| Link, John, Storm Lake, Iowa.                      | .MH93  | Musselman, E., (Icic) Overton, Pa.                    |       |
| Lisberger, George J., Bath, North co., Pa.         | .0E93  | Musser, Cyrus J., Norristown, Pa.                     | .E81  |
| Lisberger, Robert, Bath, Pa.                       | .063   | Mutschler, Charles H., Sunbury, Pa.                   | .070  |
| Lobach, Albert, Bethlehem, Pa.                     | .0E90  |                                                       |       |
| Lober, C., North Robinson, O.                      |        |                                                       |       |
| Lohman, Albert G., New Bedford, Ohio.              | .0MH83 |                                                       |       |
| Long, Henry F., Frenchtown, N. J.                  | .68    |                                                       |       |
| Long, Samuel C., Rockwood, Pa.                     | .E78   |                                                       |       |
| Long, Thomas, Salem, N. C.                         | .65    |                                                       |       |
| Long, William A., Martinsburg, Pa.                 | .H82   |                                                       |       |
| Loose, George, Monroeville, O.                     | .MH80  |                                                       |       |
| Loose, Nathaniel H., Shelby, Ohio                  | .H58   |                                                       |       |
| Loose, William H., Red Lion, York co., Pa.         | .U94   |                                                       |       |
| Looser, John, Boone, Iowa.                         |        |                                                       |       |
| Loucks, Dr. Michael, Dayton, O.                    | .H73   |                                                       |       |
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| Lowe, Prof. Cornelius M., Tiffin, O.               | .93    |                                                       |       |
| Luckenbill, B., Franklin, Quakertown, Pa.          | .E93   |                                                       |       |
| Ludwick, William E., Greenville, O.                | .H85   |                                                       |       |
| Luescher, Rudolph, Kasson, Minn.                   | .0     |                                                       |       |
| Lyerly, Jacob M. L., Faith, N. C.                  | .89    |                                                       |       |
| Mabry, James W., Cherryville, Pa.                  | .0U79  |                                                       |       |
| Mackley, John F., Fairfield, Pa.                   | .E66   |                                                       |       |
| McAllister, Hiram J., Westminster, Md.             | .E92   |                                                       |       |
| McConnell, John, Salina, Pa.                       | .E55   |                                                       |       |
| McLean, Eugene L., Everett, Bedford co., Pa.       | .E93   |                                                       |       |
| McNairy, William H., McKee, N. C.                  | .94    |                                                       |       |
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| Otting, Edward H., Warren, Ohio                           | 0H74  |  |  |  |  |  | E72  |
| Pannebecker, Jon H., Columbia, Pa.                        | F74   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Parks, David A., Bloomville, O                            | H87   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Peightel, Isaac N., York, Pa.                             | MER78 |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Peters, Dr. John A., Tiffin, O                            | E64   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Peters, Joseph D., Hanover, Pa.                           | U88   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Peters, Morgan A., York, Pa.                              | H91   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Peters, Prof. Moses, Collegeville, Pa.                    | U77   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Peters, Neri F., Slatington, Pa.                          | OH84  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Phillips, Samuel H., Durham, Bucks co., Pa.               | U78   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Pilgram, Frederick, Lititz, Lancaster co., Pa.            | E67   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Pontius, John W., Martinsburg, Pa.                        | E75   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Porter, Dr. Thomas C., Easton, Pa.                        | 40    |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Potts, John V., North Robinson, O                         | 64    |  |  |  |  |  |      |
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| Puhl, Max, Port Hope, Mich.                               | E51   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
|                                                           | E87   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Qual, Martin H., Glassboro, N. J.                         | 93    |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rahauser, Reuben, York, Pa.                               | 0073  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rauch, O. H. E., Royer's Ford, Pa                         | 91    |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rauch, John W., Martinsburg, W. Va.                       | H81   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Ream, Solomon, Lone Tree, Iowa                            | H74   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Reber, J., Alvin, Lehighton, Pa.                          | 0E78  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Reber, Thomas N., St. Clairsville, Pa.                    | 0E76  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rech, William, Van Dyne, Wis.                             | MH90  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Reese, J. G., Jeffersonville, Ind.                        | MH91  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Reichard, Richard B., Tiffin, O                           | H74   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Reiche, G. J., 527 E. Gray St., Louisville, Ky.           | 075   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Reinecke, John W., Millersburg, Pa.                       | E94   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Reiter, Dr. Isaac H., Miamisburg, O                       | 0H54  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
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| Remagen, George W., Fairview, Kans                        | 0H82  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Renter, Otto C., Apple Creek, O                           | H93   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Renter, William, 50 Higgins St., Cleveland, O             | 0H60  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Resser, George B., Hanover, York Co., Pa.                 | E81   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rettig, George, Monticello, Iowa                          | 049   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rettig, John, Fort Wayne, Ind.                            | 049   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rettig, Louis C., Kelley's Island, O                      | 0MH85 |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rettig, Valentine, N. Y.                                  | MH91  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Reue, Ulrich, Eureka, South Dakota                        | 084   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Richards, George W., Allentown, Pa.                       | 0E90  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Richards, Jesse, Sulphur Springs, O                       | 48    |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Ricke, Herman, Jeffersonville, Ind                        | 078   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rike, Levi, Heno, Butler co., O                           | 54    |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rinker, Henry St. J., Maurertown, Va                      | E44   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
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| Rodrock, William D. C., Paterson, N. J.                   | E52   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Roeck, John, Kiel, Manitowoc co., Wis                     | 065   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Roeder, Samuel M., Manchester, Md.                        | E78   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Roentgen, Dr. J. H. C., Cleveland, O                      | 0MH74 |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rohrbaugh, Scott V., Swander's Crossing, O                | H94   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Romeis, Siegmund, Lorain, Stephenson co., Ill             | MH88  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
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| Roth, Benjamin H., Millersville, Pa.                      | H90   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Roth, Geo. W., Boyertown, Pa.                             | E76   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rothsby J., Summit Hill, Pa.                              | U93   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rothenberger, Israel, Plymouth, Ind.                      | H85   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rothrock, David, Bethlehem, Pa.                           | 58    |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rothrock, Jacob J., Lansdale, Pa.                         | E82   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Roush, J., Lucian, Pennsburg, Pa.                         | E90   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Royer, Benjamin B., Goshen, Ind.                          | U93   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
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| Ruetenik, Nathaniel, Salzburg, Mich                       | 0H61  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Ruf, Bechtold, Berne, Ind.                                | H87   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Ruhl, Philip, Kenton, O                                   | 0H71  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Ruloff, Franklin H., Nanticoke, Pa.                       |       |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Runkel, Samuel L., Hallsville, O                          | H83   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Runkle, James M., Mechanicsburg, Pa.                      | E93   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rupley, Dr. Frederick A., Martinsburg, Pa.                | E44   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rupley, Jr., Frederick A., Alexandria, Pa.                | E92   |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rupp, Dr. William, Lancaster, Pa.                         | 0E64  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
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| Rust, John B., New Philadelphia, O                        | 0H80  |  |  |  |  |  |      |
| Rusterholtz, Henry, Monticello, Wis.                      | 0MH72 |  |  |  |  |  |      |
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| Smith, Frank W., Effort, Pa.                             | E83   | Thomas, Siegfried, Bunker Hill, Kans.                | 0MH71 |
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| Snyder, George A., Hagerstown, Md.                       | H88   | Treibel, Michael, Scotland, South Dakota             | 074   |
| Snyder, George W., Boonsboro, Md.                        | 0E72  | Treick, Henry, Garner, Iowa                          | 0MH85 |
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| Snyder, Jacob F., Manor Dale, Pa.                        | E64   | Tuessle, C., New York, N. Y.                         | 93    |
| Snyder, Nathaniel Z., S. Bethlehem, Pa.                  | U71   | Tussing, William H., Fostoria, Ohio                  | H88   |
| Snyder, Phaon W., Red Lion, Pa.                          | U86   |                                                      |       |
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| Snyder, Sylvanus S., Sendai, Japan                       | H94   | Van Horne, Dr. David, Tiffin, O.                     | 67    |
| Sommerlatte, Paul, New York, N. Y.                       | 93    | Vetter, G., Everette, Washington                     | 94    |
| Sorber, George S., Watsontown, Pa.                       | U78   | Vinton, John A.                                      | H93   |
| Sonnecker, Thomas H., (lie.) Tiffin, O.                  | H92   | Vitz, Henry W., Decatur, Ind.                        | 0MH85 |
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| Stahr, Dr. John S., Lancaster, Pa.                       | 0E72  | Wagner, Gustavus, Boone, Iowa                        | 87    |
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| Staub, Rudolph, Mink, Oregon.                            |       | Wagner, Irvin F., Lima, Allen co., O.                | U94   |
| Stauffer, J. J., Elizabethville, Dauphin co., Pa.        | U86   | Wagner, Dr. Samuel G., Allentown, Pa.                | E55   |
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| Strunk, Oliver H., Schuylkill Haven, Pa.                 | E80   | Wieand, Charles S., Pottstown, Pa.                   | 80    |
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| Super, Dr. Henry W., Collegeville, Pa.                   | E50   | Winter, John, Crestline, O.                          | 0H60  |
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| Yost, Calvin D., Minersville, Pa.             | U94  | Ziegler, Lawrence, Gaylord, Minn.                      | 0E74  |
|                                               |      | Zinkhan, Louis F., Baltimore, Md.                      | E77   |
|                                               |      | Zipf, Charles G., Wheatland, Iowa.                     | 069   |

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|-------|------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------|
| 1870  | 522              | 116,529        | \$46,365 70    | \$11,119 98 | \$ 9,954 35             | \$ 8,558 96       |                |                           |                |                        | \$ 76,000 64           |            |
| 1871  | 560              | 124,143        | 66,901 60      | 7,257 08    | 5,840 46                | 6,043 97          |                |                           |                |                        | 86,043 11              |            |
| 1872  | 574              | 128,771        | 45,561 29      | 8,323 11    | 5,029 71                | 8,056 19          |                |                           |                |                        | 66,970 30              |            |
| 1873  | 595              | 132,195        | 42,368 65      | 10,771 56   | 7,356 87                | 9,936 00          | \$20,964 11    |                           |                |                        | 91,427 19              |            |
| 1874  | 600              | 135,600        | 41,101 67      | 12,767 02   | 8,466 45                | 11,157 89         | 12,724 92      |                           |                |                        | 86,217 95              |            |
| 1875  | 623              | 142,118        | 40,390 11      | 10,419 27   | 8,887 44                | 13,462 40         | 11,416 09      | \$4,491 83                |                |                        | 88,117 09              |            |
| 1876  | 650              | 143,609        | 36,367 50      | 7,828 00    | 9,988 00                | 7,063 00          | 13,144 41      | 3,706 00                  |                |                        | 78,096 41              |            |
| 1877  | 680              | 146,901        | 31,087 00      | 9,404 00    | 6,940 00                | 5,950 13          | 13,923 21      | 3,987 00                  |                |                        | 68,261 21              |            |
| 1878  | 710              | 147,788        | 22,782 00      | 7,032 00    | 7,980 00                | 5,816 00          | 13,923 00      | 4,194 00                  |                |                        | 61,727 00              |            |
| 1879  | 734              | 154,742        | 19,824 00      | 9,089 00    | 17,342 00               | 5,180 00          | 11,471 00      | 3,331 00                  |                |                        | 66,237 00              |            |
| 1880  | 746              | 161,002        | 27,734 00      | 6,834 00    | 12,555 00               | 6,457 00          | 16,019 00      | 3,802 00                  |                |                        | 73,401 00              |            |
| 1881  | 752              | 163,669        | 35,859 00      | 18,816 00   | 12,109 00               | 7,249 00          | 15,239 00      | 3,665 00                  |                |                        | 92,937 00              |            |
| 1882  | 767              | 166,586        | 37,956 00      | 11,724 00   | 5,658 00                | 49,100 00         | 14,098 00      | 5,349 00                  | \$ 7,927 00    |                        | 133,816 00             |            |
| 1883  | 783              | 169,530        | 37,158 00      | 11,915 00   | 8,580 00                | 11,898 00         | 17,355 00      | 5,589 00                  | 8,655 00       |                        | 101,148 00             |            |
| 1884  | 780              | 172,949        | 45,705 00      | 10,783 13   | 12,617 00               | 11,076 49         | 29,068 90      | 6,978 00                  | 10,156 00      |                        | 127,284 52             |            |
| 1885  | 788              | 177,037        | 47,205 00      | 11,082 00   | 9,711 00                | 8,614 00          | 21,928 00      | 5,658 00                  | 9,888 00       |                        | 114,087 00             |            |
| 1886  | 802              | 183,980        | 59,744 00      | 14,825 00   | 10,252 00               | 8,824 00          | 32,912 00      | 5,662 00                  | 8,893 00       |                        | 141,122 00             |            |
| 1887  | 822              | 190,527        | 60,981 00      | 13,203 00   | 13,578 00               | 11,308 00         | 30,366 00      | 6,223 00                  | 8,769 00       | \$ 2,924 00            | 147,297 00             |            |
| 1888  | 823              | 194,344        | 69,178 00      | 14,687 00   | 11,641 00               | 19,197 00         | 36,727 00      | 5,523 00                  | 12,530 00      | 1,767 00               | 171,250 00             |            |
| 1889  | 835              | 200,492        | 71,433 00      | 12,713 00   | 12,194 00               | 10,711 00         | 32,231 00      | 9,571 00                  | 9,513 00       | 2,712 00               | 161,078 00             |            |
| 1890  | 856              | 203,858        | 75,416 00      | 33,234 00   | 13,585 00               | 24,331 00         | 37,729 00      | 8,286 00                  | 10,294 00      | 2,320 00               | 205,195 00             |            |
| 1891  | 867              | 208,080        | 78,925 00      | 15,258 00   | 16,581 00               | 14,582 00         | 42,197 00      | 32,074 00                 | 7,629 00       | 13,189 00              | 2,523 00               | 208,376 00 |
| 1892  | 885              | 212,830        | 119,285 00     | 26,452 63   | 14,754 00               | 21,001 00         | 28,653 31      | 9,996 00                  | 13,202 00      | 2,978 00               | 236,321 94             |            |
| 1893  | 922              | 216,436        | 94,611 00      | 18,762 00   | 14,886 00               | 28,165 00         | 40,457 00      | 7,710 00                  | 12,014 00      | 3,314 00               | 219,919 00             |            |

## COMPARATIVE SUMMARY

Of the whole Reformed Church in the United States for ten years, 1884-1893.

|                                   | 1884    | 1885    | 1886    | 1887    | 1888    | 1889    | 1890    | 1891      | 1892      | 1893    |
|-----------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| Synods . . . . .                  | 7       | 7       | 7       | 8       | 8       | 8       | 8       | 8         | 8         | 8       |
| Classes . . . . .                 | 52      | 53      | 52      | 55      | 55      | 56      | 56      | 55        | 54        | 55      |
| Ministers . . . . .               | 780     | 788     | 802     | 822     | 823     | 835     | 836     | 867       | 885       | 922     |
| Congregations . . . . .           | 1,461   | 1,468   | 1,481   | 1,512   | 1,535   | 1,554   | 1,536   | 1,573     | 1,583     | 1,591   |
| Members . . . . .                 | 172,949 | 177,037 | 183,980 | 190,527 | 194,334 | 200,498 | 203,852 | 208,080   | 212,830   | 216,436 |
| Members Unconfirmed . . . . .     | 106,093 | 108,090 | 108,724 | 111,436 | 115,199 | 112,486 | 113,877 | 122,077   | 121,957   | 122,926 |
| Baptisms { Infants . . . . .      | 13,527  | 14,573  | 14,089  | 13,743  | 14,460  | 14,605  | 13,907  | 14,220    | 14,526    | 14,455  |
| { Adults . . . . .                | 1,135   | 1,378   | 1,741   | 1,500   | 1,474   | 1,595   | 1,528   | 1,661     | 1,564     | 1,545   |
| Additions { Confirmed . . . . .   | 9,746   | 10,079  | 10,733  | 10,542  | 10,282  | 10,759  | 10,333  | 11,311    | 10,758    | 10,565  |
| { Certificate . . . . .           | 5,555   | 5,325   | 5,582   | 6,051   | 5,948   | 6,561   | 6,345   | 7,069     | 7,431     | 7,114   |
| Communed . . . . .                | 141,654 | 140,749 | 146,636 | 152,274 | 155,108 | 155,118 | 159,102 | 165,767   | 169,314   | 172,321 |
| Dismissed . . . . .               | 2,315   | 2,384   | 2,551   | 2,917   | 2,673   | 3,061   | 3,012   | 3,568     | 3,292     | 3,535   |
| Excommunicated . . . . .          | 59      | 71      | 38      | 38      | 46      | 55      | 64      | 32        | 26        | 31      |
| Erasred . . . . .                 | 1,546   | 2,424   | 2,381   | 2,760   | 2,763   | 3,117   | 3,163   | 3,624     | 3,975     | 3,891   |
| Deaths . . . . .                  | 4,645   | 4,934   | 4,638   | 4,852   | 5,244   | 5,107   | 4,826   | 5,689     | 6,130     | 5,180   |
| Sunday-schools . . . . .          | 1,360   | 1,374   | 1,422   | 1,464   | 1,498   | 1,513   | 1,547   | 1,569     | 1,563     | 1,581   |
| Officers and Teachers . . . . .   |         |         |         |         |         | 3,967   | 9,076   | 10,516    | 13,319    | 15,156  |
| Sunday-school Scholars . . . . .  | 114,004 | 116,873 | 122,695 | 129,713 | 136,283 | 138,616 | 141,403 | 148,564   | 149,023   | 153,884 |
| Students for Ministry . . . . .   | 164     | 173     | 186     | 207     | 250     | 285     | 301     | 291       | 285       | 284     |
| Benevolent Purposes . . . . .     | 127,284 | 114,087 | 140,122 | 147,297 | 171,250 | 161,078 | 205,145 | 208,376   | 236,322   | 219,919 |
| Congregational Purposes . . . . . | 747,725 | 746,122 | 804,321 | 841,292 | 900,505 | 874,053 | 949,069 | 1,012,937 | 1,060,229 | 988,346 |

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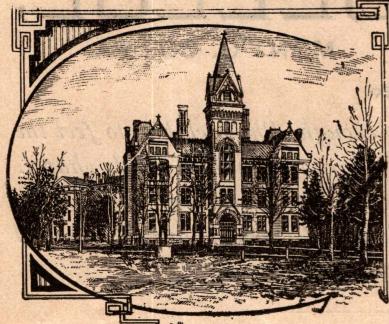
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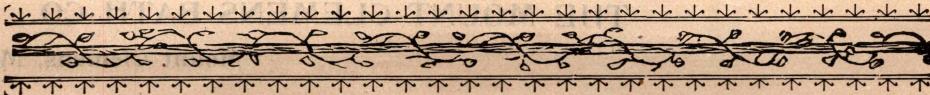
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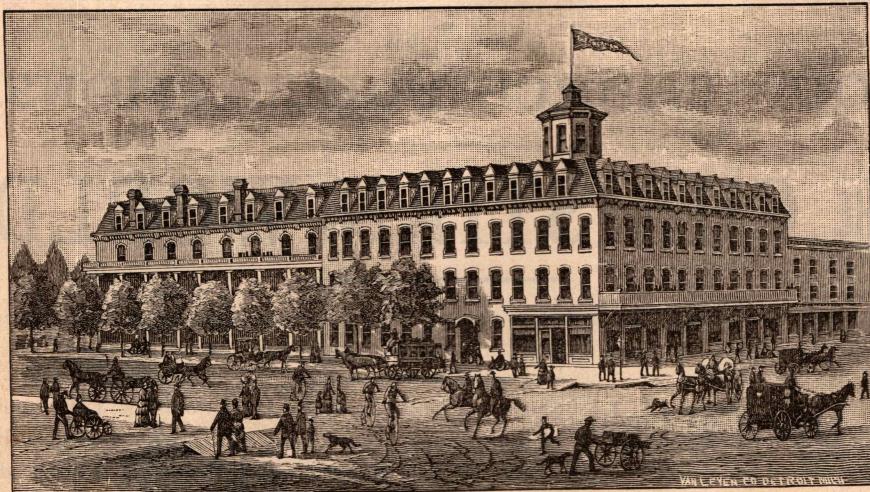
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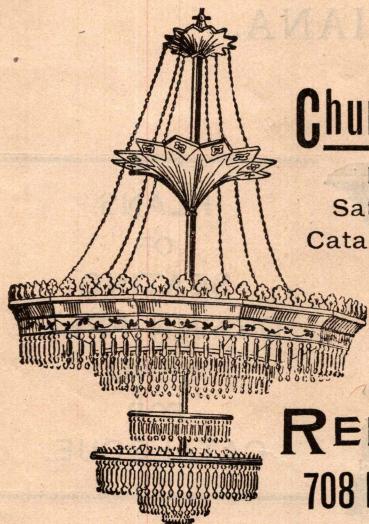
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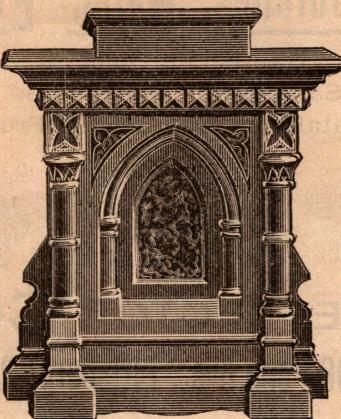
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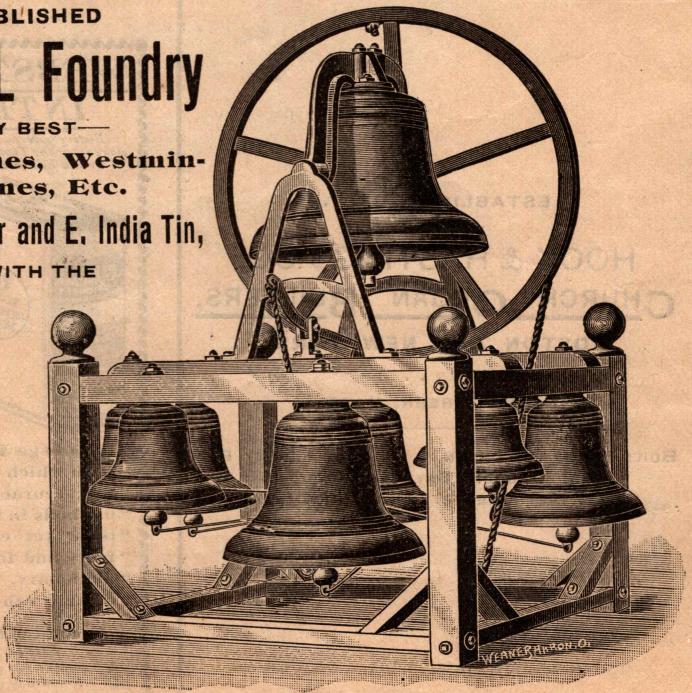
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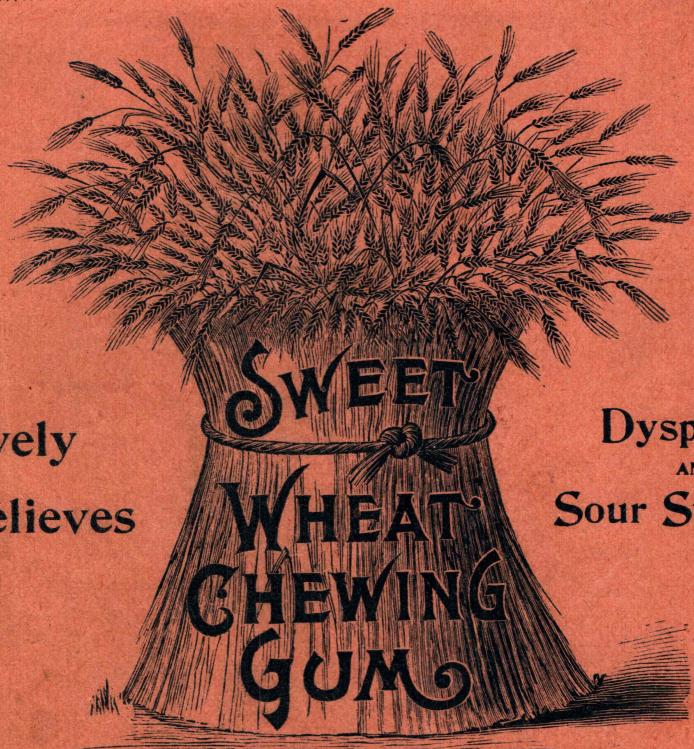
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